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IN MEMORY OF OUR FRIEND.

[For the Observer.]

While gently on the peaceful breast
Of earth they laid him down to rest,
The sun, slow sinking in the west,
A gleam of glory sent from far
(Or were th' eternal gates ajar?)
And crowned with gold each lofty spar

Of the green pines. Oh! he was one
Who loved whatever grew upon
This Southern soil. Their summits shone
Like burnished temple domes. In shade,
Beside the hillock newly made
And with sweet flowers overlaid,

We stood and felt that tho' earth's lights
Burn dim, and days are turned to nights,
The sunlight shines upon the heights.
Hushed is thy clamor, sad-toned bell;
In softer cadence now doth swell
The pine's sweet voice—his sentinel.
Aye, verily he sleepeth well!

June 4th. ANON.

THE SOUTH.

Address of Gen. D. H. Hill before the Maryland Veterans.

* * * The Old South—the Old South of pure women and brave men; the South of Washington and Jefferson; of Carroll and Rutledge; of Marshall and Taney; of the Pinckneys of Maryland and South Carolina (for they were of the same stock); of Andrew Jackson and Winfield Scott; of Decatur, McDonough and Tatnall; the generous old South, which, rich, prosperous and peaceful under the British domination, cried, "The cause of Boston is the cause of us all," and had her sons slain and her land desolated in defence of her Northern sister. The speaker referred to the discovery of the "New South" in 1868 by "an enterprising brother from somewhere north of Mason and Dixon's line," which new name of the English-speaking race, discovered in this "hitherto unknown region," some roll as a sweet morsel under their tongues. The speaker did not want to eulogize the New South—he was simply desirous of telling "you young people of that dear Old South which has passed away, that you may admire and imitate whatever was grand and noble in its history, and surrender whatever was wrong and defective. * * * * *

"So the surroundings of the Old South determined the destiny of its sons, just as the surroundings of the North determined that of its sons. Exceptional cases occurred at the South where fame was won outside of politics. Thus, Audubon, of Louisiana, was the first, as he is the most distinguished, of American ornithologists. Washington Allston, of South Carolina, ranks foremost as American painters. M. F. Maury, of Virginia, has done more for navigation than any one of this century, and he received more medals, diplomas and honors, as a man of science, from European nations, than any other American. John Gill, of New Berne, N. C., is the true inventor of the revolver, that has revolutionized the tactics of the world. Dr. Clemens, of Salisbury, N. C., is the true inventor of the telegraph, which has made almost instantaneous the intercourse between the most distant nations of the earth. McCormick, of Virginia, was the first one to put in the field the reaper, which has done so much to develop the vast grain fields of the West. Stevens, of South Carolina, was the first to use iron as a protection against artillery, and thus the whole system of naval warfare has been changed. Dr. Reed, of Tuscaloosa, Ala., is the inventor of rifled cannon, which have made useless fortifications of stone and brick. Richard Jordan Gatling, of Hertford county, N. C., is the inventor of the terrible gun that bears his name. The Georgians claim that their countryman, the Rev. F. R. Goulding, is the inventor of the sewing machine. Gen. Gabriel J. Rains, by the construction of a peculiar friction primer, made the use of torpedoes successful in the Southern waters during the civil war, and demonstrated that weak maritime nations could be protected against the most powerful. The LeContes, of Georgia, are to-day among our foremost men of science. Dr. J. Marion Sims, of South Carolina, had more reputation abroad than any other American physician. In literature we have such men as Marshall, Kennedy, Gayarre, Wirt, Gilmore, Simms, Hawks, Legare, Hayne, Ryan, Timrod, the Elliotts of South Carolina, Tichnor, Lanier, Thornwell, Archibald Alexander and his sons, Addison and James W., Bledsoe, Mrs. Welby, Mrs. Terhune, &c. Brooke, of Virginia, solved the problem of the deep sea sounding, which had so long baffled men of science. But the other day General John Newton, of Virginia, was at the head of the engineering department of the United States. Stephen V. Benet, of Florida, is now head of the United States ordnance department, and Dr. Robert Murry, of Maryland, is surgeon general.

"The independence of the American Colonies was declared upon the motion of a Southerner; its principles were set forth in the Declaration written by another Southerner. A third led the armies of the rebel colonies to victory, while a fourth framed the Constitution, which, though denounced at one time by the South haters as 'a covenant with death and a league with hell,' has lived for a hundred years, and is likely to live for many hundreds more. The Bourbon regime lasted for eighty years, the grandest and noblest of American history. Eleven of its seventeen Presidents were of Southern birth. Fifty-seven of the eighty years were spent under the administration of Southern born Presidents. Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe and Jackson each served eight years, in all forty years—just one-half of the life of the nation. Of the six Northern Presidents, John Quincy Adams was elected by the House of Representatives and not by the people, and contrary to the wishes of the people. Nor was Mr. Fillmore elected to the Presidency, but on the death of Gen. Taylor succeeded to the office and served out the unexpired term. So during the existence of the Old South, John Adams, Van Buren, Pierce and Buchanan were the only Northern Presidents elected by the people. A remarkable thing is, that all the Southern Presidents were re-elected by the people, except Mr. Polk, and he did not seek a renomination. This fact speaks volumes for the capacity of Southern men for the administration of affairs. Another curious fact is that every Northern President had associated with him as Vice-President, a man from the Old South. Thus, the first Adams had Jefferson, the second Adams had Calhoun, Van Buren had R. M. Johnson, Pierce had W. R. King, and Buchanan had Breckenridge. On the other hand, Jackson served one term as President with a Southern man, Calhoun, as Vice-President; Harrison and his associate were born in Virginia; Lincoln and Johnson were both born in the South."

"In the war of 1812 Jackson, of North Carolina, and Harrison, of Virginia, gained the most laurels and the brilliant land fights of that war were in defence of New Orleans. Mobile, Craney Island and Baltimore, all fought by Southern troops on Southern soil. In this war the South furnished more than her proportion of troops. The unmaritime South claims among the naval heroes of that period Decatur, of Maryland; McDonough and Jacob Jones, of Delaware; the two Shubricks, of South Carolina, and others.

"In the Mexican war the commanders in chief on both lines were born in Virginia. In this war the Old South gave 50,000 soldiers out of a population of 9,521,437; the North, out of a population of 13,676,439, gave but 24,698 volunteers, and New England gave only 1,057 volunteers.

"Coming down to the civil war, the President on the Union side was a Southern born man, his successor was born in North Carolina, and the commanding general who first organized his troops was a Virginian. His great war secretary, the Carnot of that day, was born in Edgecombe county, N. C., though he would never admit it.

"The Union generals who struck us the heaviest blows, next to those of Grant and Sherman, were from our own soil. From West Point there came forth forty-five graduates of Southern birth who became Federal generals. Most of these were good officers, and some of them were superb. * * * * * *

Farragut, of Tennessee, was considered the hardest fighter and the most successful commander in the United States army. Winslow, of North Carolina, was made a rear admiral for sinking the Alabama, and Goldsborough, of Maryland, was made a rear admiral for the capture of Hatteras.

"Among the naval heroes who fought for the Old South were Semmes, the Chevalier Bayard of the ocean; J. J. Waddell (of an illustrious North Carolina lineage) almost the peer of Semmes as a successful cruiser; M. F. Maury, the greatest benefactor of the merchant and naval marine the world has ever known; the brave W. F. Lynch, the Christian scholar and explorer; the gallant Pegram, Hunter, Alexander and others. * * * *

I would place first of those the general diffusion of love for the Constitution of the United States. Time was when the Southhating philantropists denounced it as 'a covenant with death and a league with hell' gotten up by the slave power in the interest of slavery. But in 1861 the philanthropists experienced a change of heart and ever since have talked of the Constitution as 'that sacred instrument,' that 'bulwark of freedom,' that 'palladium of liberty,' &c. I am glad of their conversion, suspiciously sudden though it was, and I hope they will never fall from grace. As a stalwart Presbyterian I believe in the perseverance of the saints.

"The philanthropists used to tell of the cruelty and brutality of slaveholders to their slaves, and said that they had reduced the negroes to the lowest state of ignorance, barbarism, and brutality. But in the reconstruction period the philanthropistis underwent a radical change of views, and discovered that these negroes, whom they had described as more savage and degraded than the barbarians on the Congo, were not merely enlightened and civilized enough to be freemen and voters, but also to be United States Senators and Congressmen, Foreign Ministers, Consuls, and Marshals, Governors of States, Judges, members of State Cabinets, &c. I am glad that the philanthropists found out that the Old South had trained its slaves so carefully for these high and responsible duties. No other masters in the world's history ever gave such training to their slaves. * * I love to hear the praises of the wonderful deeds of McClellan, Grant, Mead, and Hancock, for if they were such great warriors for crushing with their massive columns the thin lines of ragged rebels, what must be said of Lee, the two Johnstons, Beauregard and Jackson, who held millions at bay for four years with their fragments of shadowy armies? Pile up huge pedestals and surmount them with bronze horses and riders in bronze. All the Union monuments are eloquent of the prowess of the ragged rebels and their leaders.

"Suppose the tables had been turned and that either of the five Southerners named above had been superior to his antagonists in all the appliances and inventions of war, and had been given, moreover, an excess of 2,000,000 of men over them, how many statues, think ye, my countrymen, would there be of bronze warriors and prancing chargers?"

The Quagga.

[London Spectator.]

It is stated that the quagga, the beautiful wild striped ass of South Africa, has suddenly ceased to exist. The boot-makers of London and New York wanted his skin for a peculiar kind of sportsman's boot, and he consequently passed away out of zoology. There may be a few left on the highest and wildest plateaus, but the Boors, tempted by the high prices, have extirpated the herds which ten years ago existed in South Africa. That will be the fate of the elephant, too, and possibly of the crocodile. It takes whole provinces to supply ivory for one advertising firm in Oxford street; the price is four fold the price of a quarter of a century ago, and the beasts are hunted with a presistency which in no long time must be fatal.

Electricity in a Workshop.

[Boston Budget.]

Professor Thomson claims that where quick heating is required electricity may be relied upon, and results are cited where, in welding, broken iron bars may be securely joined with great rapidity and strength. In forging, the electric current, according to the reports given, will prove of interest, and when better understood will place this new principle in every workshop. Metal workmen and iron mongers will prefer elastic force to flame, for it is said the chief essentials of the apparatus are the direct means of getting heavy currents through metal without loss,

LIVES OF PUBLIC MEN.

The Evanescence of Political Power and Popularity Pertinently Demonstrated.

[New York World.]

"Why should the spirit of mortal be proud?" was the favorite poetic query of Lincoln, whose life was cut off at the summit of its career, and echo answers, "Why?" How many are there still living who have been prominently in the foreground of public affairs and are now scarcely heard of!

But a few years ago the whole nation waited to see the direction of the penstroke of Rutherford B. Hayes. Then he sat in the White House. Now he presides over a chicken farm somewhere in Northern Ohio, and there is little more than a gleam of recognition in the mind of the reader when his name appears in a newspaper, which is not often. The fact that he is the only ex-President alive does not save him from almost complete oblivion.

It is not long since Secretary Robeson was a prominent individual and a dispenser of influence and public dollars. But it is a red-letter day for him when his name is published as a guest at some big banquet.

George S. Boutwell, for many years an influential member of the House of Representatives, Secretary of the Treasury and a leading man in the nation generally during Grant's Administration, is now quietly practicing law.

T. W. Ferry, Senator from Michigan, once acting Vice-President of the United States, is operating sawmills.

N. P. Banks, elected Speaker of the House of Representatives in the most memorable election ever held in that body, prominent Republican candidate for President in 1860, Major-General in the war, Governor of Massachusetts, is now a local United States marshal.

Carl Schurz, Secretary of the Interior under Hayes, Senator and Major-General, is now a retired and rarely mentioned citizen.

Hamilton Fish, Governor and Secretary of State, has entirely passed from the political stage.

Benjamin H. Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury, prominent Republican candidate for the Presidency, is unostentatiously practicing law.

Roseo Conkling, than whom the Senate once possessed no more distinguised member, is accumulating a fortune at the Bar.

Edward Pierrepont, Attorney-General, Minister to England, is now in private practice.

Benjamin H. Brewster, Attorney-General, is similarly employed.

Alphonso Taft, Attorney-General, Secretary of War, has retired generally from public notice.

Hugh McCulloch, the distinguished Secretary of the Treasury of the Johnson period, is engaged in private business.

Samuel J. Kirkwood, Senator, Secretary of the Interior, has passed out of the public mind.

Elihu B. Washburne, Representative, "Watch-dog of the Treasury," Secretary of State, Minister to France, proposed Republican candidate for President, is whiling away the time writing magazine articles.

Richard W. Thompson, Congressman, Secretary of the Navy, is now an American figurehead for De Lesseps.

Attorney-General Williams has dropped wholly beneath the surface.

W. W. Belknap, Secretary of War, has similarly disappeared.

Gen. R. C. Schenck, Congressman, Major-General, Minister to England, leads a quiet and retired existence.

J. A. J. Creswell, Postmaster-General, Congressman, is now rarely heard of.

William Windom, Senator, Secretary of the Treasury, has passed out of public notice.

William E. Chandler, Congressman, Secretary of the Navy, and active political manager, has been relegated to a quiet life.

William A. Wheeler, Congressman, Vice-President, lived in retirement until his death.

Hannibal Hamlin, Representative, Senator, Governor, Vice-President under Lincoln, is out of public life.

James M. Ashley, Congressman and prominent Abolition Republican, has been a long time out of office.

John B. Henderson, Senator, is practicing law in St. Louis.

Senators Ross and Pomeroy, of Kansas, are equally removed from the public gaze.

Columbus Delano, Secretary of the Interior, has been a private citizen for years.

J. Warren Keifer, Speaker of the House of Representatives, has wholly retired, and is not now even considered eligible for the delivery of a memorial address.

Ignatius Donnelly, Senators Thurman and McDonald, Gov. Hoadly and many others will occur, upon calling on the memory, as instances of men now living who have withdrawn from public life.

Still another retired statesman, who need not be commented on, is Jefferson Davis.

Perhaps the only exception to the retired public men, in the matter of power and influence, is Simon Cameron. He appears to manage things from his private residence about as well as he did from the Senate or the War Department.

Thus do power and position, like riches, have wings. Some of these retirements represent honorable defeat, some voluntary decisions, some wrecked ambition merely, and some are rebukes for corruption. But they all serve to show the uncertainty of political careers and the readiness with which men are forgotten in this fast-moving country.

Wouldn't Again in a Thousand Years.

The following incident of travel would hardly happen again in centuries. We copy:

"Captain Magee, the well-known conductor of the Atlantic Coast Line, told the reporter of the *Index-Appeal* yesterday of a rather remarkable incident which occurred on the Wilmington and Weldon road Wednesday. A lady passenger, who was traveling on one of the Pullman cars was washing her hands in the ladies' toilet room, when three diamond rings, valued at fifteen hundred dollars, slipped from her fingers and fell through the aperture of the bowl. After the train, which was traveling at the rate of forty miles an hour, had gone about a mile or more, the lady told the conductor of the loss of her rings and asked him to stop the train that search might be made for them. The conductor told the lady that it would be useless to stop the train to look for the rings, but to gratify her the train was stopped and search for the lost diamonds instituted. In a few minutes, and to the surprise of all, the colored porter of the Pullman car found the rings lying on one of the trucks of the car, where they had lodged. It is unnecessary to say that the owner of the rings felt greatly relieved, and she rewarded the porter by giving him twenty-five dollars.

THE PROSPEROUS SOUTH.

A Great Revival of Manufacturing Industries.

[Chicago Lumber and Trade Journal.]

All reports from the South indicate a great revival of manufacturing industries in that section. There is a great revival going on in cotton factories, which are especially flourishing and enjoying a prosperity unknown in the New England manufacturing districts. The most wonderful reports fill the Southern press, and especially the columns of the technical journals, of the somewhat phenomenal growth and development of the iron industry, and the millions of capital (largely eastern and foreign) which is being put in great furnaces and rolling mills in Alabama and Tennessee. Chattanooga and Birmingham are magic cities, and their growth is something the like of which the South has never before witnessed or even dreamed of; then again, the number of wood working factories springing up all over the South is something astonishing. In the great timber sections of Arkansas, Georgia, Florida, Tennessee and other States, the saw mills are sawing up forests that the Southern people may think now inexhaustible—vast tracts of which contain some of the finest hardwood to be found on this continent—but in a quarter of a century hence they may possibly discover their mistake. Certainly all these evidences of Southern prosperity are extremely gratifying. One chief obstacle heretofore to the successful introduction of a varied system of manufactures, is the delusion that the work required a great deal of "capital," whereas energy and determination were really the chief requisites. Manufacturers are gregarious; there is a sympthy between them that causes them to group together. It is a waste of time for an idle population anywhere to point to their rich soil, fine timber, water power and beds of coal and ores, and call on somebody in the East or Europe to come and work up these cheap materials into goods. Until quite recently the solicited capital did not come, because the solicited "capital" argued that if the boasted advantages really existed the Southern people should improve them. These people may find out one of these days that they have too much foreign and Eastern capital to deal with; that their vast tracts of timber lands had better have remained in their own possession, and have been divided among their own people, rather than be girted around by huge monopolies, which will have skimmed off all the cream and left nothing but the milk for the original owners and their descendants to partake of. Since the South has obtained such a magnificent start, everybody is glad to see her people resolutely at work making fortunes of their own resources, and inaugurating manufactures on a small scale, putting in a little capital and plenty of work, employing all the idle persons in the vicinity who are able and willing to work, and managing their own business with frugality and judgment. No wonder the Southern people are surprised and delighted thus far with their work.

The Wonderful Strength of the Porters of Constantinople.

[M. Julliard, in Cosmopolitan.]

Another curiosity of Constantinople, which does not excite disgust, but, on the contrary, a surprise akin to admiration, is the *hamel*, or porter. His name, which has in Arabic the same origin as that of camel, describes him quite well. He is, in fact, a camel without the hump; but this hump is, however, more or less represented by a large leather cushion resting on his back, and intended to support his burden. Moreover, the Turkish porter has the sobriety, the patience, and the strength of the camel.

The French proverb, "As strong as a Turk," must have been suggested by the sight of this burden-carrying biped, whose back is strong enough to bear frightful loads. One hardly dares to tell of some of their feats of muscle, for fear of being considered a boaster. Here are two, however: One day when I changed my lodgings, I had three men to move my piano. They tied it up firmly with straps. Then two of them went away, and the third, stooping down, raised the piano, and, placing it upon his back, carried it a distance that took more than three-quarters of an hour. On another occasion I met a *hamel* who was carrying upon his back an enormous calash, the wheels and axletrees of which had been taken off and fastened to one side of the vehicle. The only thing wanting was the two horses on his arms. The passers-by, accustomed as they were to these prodigies of strength, stopped to see this diminutive Hercules walk by, who disappeared under his load, taking an easy and even step, and uttering at the same time the word "guarda."

The frugality of the *hamel* is equally surprising. Who knows but it is one of the secrets of his strength? He never eats any cooked food, except a little rice and a kind of soft and insipid sea-cracker, called *pide* in Turkish, and taking the place of bread. His ordinary food consists of cucumbers, which he eats with the skin on, salad without salt or seasoning, and uncooked onions.

Hamels never drink any wine, beer, or spirituous liquors, and thus present a conspicuous refutation to the claims of those that insist that the drinking of alcoholic and fermented beverages sustain and increase one's strength. In time of drought they follow the example of camels, their brethren. If they are thirsty, very well; they do not find fault, but wait until wet weather comes.

"And what kind of a man was your husband?" a weeping widow was asked.

"Well, I thought he was an angel before we were married, but I found I had made a great mistake. He was but the reverse. But he got religious before he died, and I guess he's an angel now. That's some consolation."—*Boston Courier.*

"Mamma," said a little five-year-old girl, pointing to a turkey gobbler strolling around a neighbor's yard, "ain't that red-nosed chicken got an awful big bustle?"

ONLY THIRTEEN YEARS MORE.

The End of the World Knocking at the Door.

There has never been wanting in any age of the world's history soothsayers, augurers and prophets who essayed to forecast human destiny and to predict the doom of the earth on which men play out their roles. One of the most modern of these prophets is Rev. M. Baxter, editor of the London *Christian Herald*. Some thirty years ago he wrote a book expounding the prophetic part of the Scriptures, declaring Louis Napoleon, then Emperor of the French, to be the Anti-Christ which was to come, and England to be the special object of his wrath. Since then Napoleon has dropped in a most ignominious manner not only out of the pale of prophecy, but also out of all human calculations, and, so far from representing the great arch-enemy of all good, he was really not a bad fellow at heart, and certainly never did any harm to England, where his unfortunate widow and luckless son found asylum after they were driven from their own country. But, notwithstanding all this, the Rev. Mr. Baxter still continues to prophesy. By the way, he has just arrived in New York, where he has given out some oracular utterances. He is described as a thoughtful looking man, with a gray beard and a brown wig. He predicts the end of the present human dispensation in the year 1900. He said:

There are many things that show the end will come in 1900. Perhaps the most simple and generally accepted is the Bible statement that it took six days to make the world and there was a seventh day of rest: the world will last for six days of 1,000 years, and a seventh day of 1,000 years that shall be the millennium. Chronological records show that there were just 4,000 years from Adam to the birth of Christ, so that in the year 1900 A. D. the time would be fulfilled. It is a certain thing that there will be a great European war in three or four years, because in Daniel's prophetic writings and in the Book of Revelations it states that ten years before the end there will be a great war and the Roman Empire restored to the same political divisions. France will conquer Germany and extend her possessions to the Rhine. The conflict will not be confined to these two nations, however. It will be a general European conflict, as the twenty-three countries that now exist must be received into ten; the five in the western or Latin half being Britain, France, Spain, Italy and Austria, and the eastern or Greek half being Greece, Egypt, Syria, Turkey and the Balkan States. They will be in one confederation and will be all kingdoms, so that the republic of France and Queen Victoria's reign have but a little longer to run, you see.

When that war occurs it will be the fulfillment of the first great sign. Ireland must be separated from England, as it was not in the Roman Empire. Just what sort of government Ireland will have we do not know, but she certainly will have a Parliament of her own in Dublin. All this is prophesied by the ten-toed image of Daniel and the ten-horned goat. But then comes the little eleventh horn, signifying a rising king that waxes great and strong. The beast is crimson, showing the red republic communism, and so on. That eleventh king will be the head of the Communists. He will first come into power somewhere in Asia Minor, then become King of Syria, and then Emperor of the Roman Empire. He will get his power through the Communists and the Roman Church that will side with them, and for two years the Pope will have great temporal power, until the Emperor, the "wilful King," as he will be called, overthrows him. Then the wilful King will enter into a compact with the Hebrews, by which they shall return to Palestine. Then he will rule the whole world. As to the Anti-Christ in Revelations, it is stated that it will be a Napoleon, probably Jerome, the present head of the Bonaparte family, as in appearance he exactly answers to the description. He will be Anti-Christ and will persecute Christians, killing thousands of them by the guillotine. Then will come the three and one-half years of tribulations. Then will be civil war all over the world. In the United States the labor organizations will continue to grow stronger and stronger, until in ten years from now they will overturn the government and take the power into their own hands. Then will come famine, pestilence, earthquakes and terrible troubles, until the second coming of Christ, when the earth will be nearly depopulated and the righteous only left to enjoy the millennium of a thousand years. The last Pope will probably be Cardinal Lucien Napoleon. The course taken by Dr. McGlynn is the same course that will be taken by the Pope in about eight years. Dr. McGlynn is only a little ahead of the times.

How Napoleon Terrorized People.

[Cosmopolitan.]

All equality, all familiarity, freedom or companionship fled at his approach. When he had been appointed to command the Army of Italy, Admiral Decres, who had known him well at Paris, hearing that he was to pass through Toulon, offered to present all his comrades. The Admiral says: "I ran full of eagerness and delight to greet him. The doors of the *salon* opened. I was going to spring toward him, when his attitude, his look, the sound of his voice were sufficient to arrest me. There was nothing offensive or insulting; but it was enough. After that I never tried to overstep the distance that he had placed between us."

Some days later, at Albenga, the generals of division, among the rest, Augereau, a kind of heroical, rough old soldier, proud of his tall form and of his bravery, came to headquarters very badly disposed toward the little upstart whom they had sent to them from Paris. From the description given of him, Augereau is insulting and insubordinate in advance: "A favorite of Barras!" he says. "A street general!" They are admitted, and Bonaparte makes them wait. He appears finally, girds on his sword, puts on his hat, explains his dispositions, gives them his orders, and dismisses them. Augereau had remained dumb; when they are outside he first recovers himself, and finds again his customory oaths. He agrees with Massena, that "that little b—— of a general frightened him." He is not able to undestand "the ascendancy with which he felt himself crushed at the first glance." Another specimen of this ascendancy on another old soldier of the Revolution, still rougher and more energetic than Augereau, is given in the experience of Gen. Vandamme. In 1815 Vandamme said to Marshal Soult, one day as they were ascending together the steps of the Tuilleries: "My dear friend, that devil of a man (referring to the Emperor) exercises a fascination over me that I am unable to account for. It influences me to that degree that I, who fear neither God nor devil, am ready to tremble like a child when he approaches. He could make me pass through the eye of a needle; to cast myself in the fire for him." And he himself said on a certain occasion: "Yes, I am a soldier, because it is the especial gift I received at my birth; it is my existence, my habit of life. Wherever I have been I have always commanded. At twenty-three years of age I commanded at the siege of Toulon; I commanded in Paris at the Vendemiaire; I aroused the enthusiasm of the soldiers in Italy as soon as I appeared before them; I was born for that." His was an extraordinary and superior nature, made for command and conquest.

Valuable Dogs.

[Baltimore Sun.]

It will be a surprise to many to know that a dog may be worth as much as $10,000, but such is the case, and there are several of them in the United States. One of these dogs is owned in Baltimore by Mr. Geo. Norbury Appold, and is valued at $10,000. The dog's name is Bravo, and he is the champion lemon-and-white pointer dog of the United States. Bravo has won prizes at the bench shows of Franklin, Pa.; Atlanta, Ga.; Pittsburg, Pa.; New York, Washington, D. C.; Springfield, Ill.; Cincinnati, Chicago and Philadelelphia. Other high-priced dogs owned in Baltimore are as follows: Harry Malcolm's, valued at over $1,000 each; Stewart Dieffenderffer's champion beagle dogs, Rattler III. and Myrtle, valued at $1,000 each. These dogs have captured first prizes throughout the United States. Then there are Dr. Holly Smith's pointers, Allen and Pete, $150 each; Ed. Daker's black, white and tan setter, valued at $1,000, and named Fred Gebhart; Al Jenkins' Countess Neill, valued at $1,000; William Numsen's pointers, $500 each; E. L. Palmer's pointers and setters, $250 and $500 each; C. O. Dryden's English setters, $100 each; Dr. Pue's Irish setter, Paddy, $500; James Busey's English setter, $300; his Irish setter dog, Heeler, $200, and pointer dog, Mark, $100; Dr. E. Ridgely Baer's native setter, Don, $500; Robert Garrett's collies, $300 to $600 each; Mr. Webb's collies, $250 each; Stanley Easter's pointers, $250 each; Morris Lenzberg's Irish setter, Doc, $300 and pointer, Tell, $300; John Gill's pug dogs, $100 each; Charles North's Skye terriers, $100; W. T. Schaekelford's Irish setters, $200 each; R. Q. Taylor's Irish setter, $300; Wm. Lockie's English setter, $100; Robert Gilbert's native setter, $100; Jerry Digg's black-and-tan toy terries, $100 each; Wesley Blogg's pointers, $200 each; W. R. Field's native setter, Shot, $500; Prof. Th. R. Heintx's pointer dog Seal, $500, his beagle Music, $100, and his English greyhound Rex I., $400, and Dr. G. W. Massamore's pointer dog Boxer, $500. Among the dogs out of Baltimore on which high value is placed are the following; Harry De Bacon Page's deerhound dog Dunrobin, $10,000, at Stanley, N. J.; Wm. H. Pierce's Glencho Cennels, Peeksville, N. Y. Gleucho, $10,000; Fawn, $10,000; Trix, $10,000, Snap, $10,000. Some of the most valuable of these have constant attendants—men who are always with them.

The First Day of the Week.

[Chicago Living Church.]

The change of the day of rest from the seventh to the first day of the week—from the Jewish Sabbath to the Christian Sunday—is a standing evidence—it might almost be called a tangible evidence—of the resurrection of Christ. There have been in round numbers 96,600 Sundays since the first Easter day. They are all so many links in an unbroken chain. The last link we held in our hands on April 25, 1886, the first is riveted to the fact of the resurrection, which took place on the 17th Nisan, or April 9, probably in A. D. 30. It is an unchallenged fact, traceable through all history, modern mediæval, and through the Early Fathers, that the first day of the week has been observed by Christians for the last 18 centuries; thus we get direct to apostolic times. But, surely, if the Apostles and their contemporary Christians had not been convinced by the evidence of their senses that Jesus of Nazareth rose again on the first day of the week, nothing would have induced them to depart from their cherished traditions, and to offend the prejudices of their countrymen, whom they were so anxious to conciliate, by relaxing the obligations of the seventh day, and transferring them to the first day of the week.

Discouraging the Accumulation of Great Fortunes.

[Democrat Magazine.]

Undoubtedly a sentiment is growing up in this country to enforce the division of property in families when the head dies. It is regarded as undemocratic that large fortunes should be perpetuated from generation to generation. Various propositions have been made to limit the amount of money any heir might receive from an estate. A committee of the bar of Illinois urge the enactment of a law by which no member of a family can receive more than $500,000. Then it is proposed to tax legacies and confiscate to the State a certain portion of the wealth of very rich people when they die. This way of cutting down large fortunes is far more popular then laying an income tax. It certainly seems strange, if not unnatural, that free democratic communities should afford better opportunities for the creation of vast fortunes than is possible in more paternal and despotic governments, such as obtain on the Continent of Europe.

Blind Baseball Players.

[Dakota Bell.]

Eastern papers contain accounts of two baseball nines, each composed of inmates of the Dakota Blind Asylum, which play regular games. And this isn't the worst of it. The other day during the course of a game they felt all over the ground till they found the umpire, who was also blind, and then pounded him with a raised-letter bat till he couldn't walk. They claimed he yelled "foul" when a jay-bird flew past and while the ball was down a gopher-hole, and they didn't know where it was themselves.

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FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

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FAYETTEVILLE.

In last week's OBSERVER we noticed the estimate made of our population—that it was increasing; and while we are without any data save that which can be obtained from general observation, yet we are convinced that we are on the increase, and even those who are constantly confined to the four walls of their places of business will be forced to admit the fact, if they will take the trouble to investigate. That such is the belief of our best citizens, the building of the magnificent hotel, the general enlargement of the stores, the establishment of the electric light, and the general tendency of things prove beyond doubt. No one would be willing to invest in a town at a stand-still. Fayetteville is far better situated for commercial prosperity than Raleigh, Greensboro or Charlotte; Durham and Winston, the two young thriving towns of the State, have nothing to commend them but the wide-awake, go-ahead spirit of the people, who, as a band of brothers, always pull together for the general weal. And right here let us say that if there be one thing wanting to make Fayetteville the largest and most prosperous town in the State, it is the lack of unity in its people. By nature we are blessed with a climate as healthful as the best. Streams are all around, and even in our midst, asking to be utilized. We are at the bead of navigation, and the oft-repeated cry that we had no communication with the outside world has passed among the dreams of things that were, and we are now as near New York and other centres of trade as are Raleigh or Wilmington. Our railroad communication and freight accommodations are all that could be desired. We must be up and doing, and in this dull season we should meet together and consult and work together. "In time of peace prepare for war." We must show more pluck, more business capacity, more unity of purpose, and our town will spring forward. We want a leader whose energy and determination will give courage to others and bear down the croaking spirit that dull times generate. Let us develop our resources and add new ones. We want the poor as well as the rich, for capital without labor is as useless as labor without capital. Join the two and go ahead—and our population will increase.

TAX LISTING.

The assessors and tax listers are now in daily session, and their task is a difficult one. It is a matter of great importance that it should be done fairly and honestly. Every year complaint is made by those who scrutinize the books that this one or that one has not given in fairly and honestly, and false swearing is charged upon a good many. The valuation, for instance, of stocks of merchandise is one of the most difficult things that we know of to report correctly. Upon a great deal of the stock taxes have been assessed and paid until, what with depreciation in stock, the accumulated interest and constant tax paying, the loss is very heavy, and really an auction sale would not pay it back. So it is with household furniture, books, &c. Thus, often the critic, in commenting upon the listing, is far wrong in his ideas, and the charge of false swearing cannot be sustained.

The assessors this year have a difficult and laborious task if they comply with the law and subscribe to the oath which they have to take. But we find there are diversities of opinion in regard to the law; some holding to one opinion and some to another, each biased by his own wishes or prejudices. When this is the case, it is likely that advantage will be taken by those who think it lawful to cheat the law, forgetting that while they are doing great wrong to themselves, they are likewise entailing injustice upon their neighbor. The oath is a plain one: The assessors must ascertain the true value *in money*, and assess it accordingly. To them the matter is left, and to them the people will look for justice. We believe they will faithfully perform their part with equal justice and fairness to all, without fear, favor or affection, and be commended for their good work.

SENATOR INGALLS AND THE COLORED VOTE.

Senator Ingalls, of Kansas, recently delivered a speech in Abilene, Texas, in which he said: "I have no hesitancy in declaring that in this country negro suffrage has been an absolute and unqualified failure."

It is too late now to cry over it. This is not the only grievous error made by the Republican party. The Asheville *Citizen* says:

"So soon as such Republicans as Mr. Ingalls discovered that the negroes had lost the power to send negroes or worse to Congress, to be the tools of themselves, they became very much disgusted with negro suffrage, and have frequently made such remarks as the above, some intimating very strongly a wish to take from the negro to right to vote at all. Such as Mr. Ingalls forced negro suffrage upon the South against the earnest protest of not only the South, but the best men of the country. By the act, however, they increased Southern representation in Congress and the electoral college some 37 votes. Notwithstanding the 'change of heart' toward the negro on the part of Northern Republican leaders since he has ceased to be useful to them, the South will continue to enjoy the advantages afforded by the situation."

Complaint is made that the Laws passed by the recent Legislature have not yet made their appearance.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found extracts from the address of Gen. D. H. Hill, delivered in Baltimore on Memorial Day, before the Maryland Veterans. The speech is not as sarcastic as we expected. It is done in good temper and taste, but he shows that the South needed no newfangled civilization to give it reputation; that it is now and always has been the source from which have emanated the leading minds and spirits of the country, and that in peace or war the men of the Old South did their whole duty. The speech is worth reading.

Sherman still clings to his old love, the "bloody shirt." He has forgotten his recent conciliatory speeches South, or thinks they were mistakes. The leopard cannot change its spots. We thought, when he made his Nashville speech, that an ass may wrap himself in another skin, but his bray will yet betray him—and so it proves.

PETER MALLETT HALE.

[For the Observer.]

The untimely death of Mr. Hale is lamented throughout the State, but nowhere is the pang so keenly felt as in this, the place of his birth and the community in which he spent so great a part of his life. Here he was born and here he spent happy childhood's days, and here having reached man's estate he lived and labored until Sherman's thieves and bummers, in an hour, ruthlessly destroyed the fruits of years of unremitting toil.

Elsewhere he was the far-seeing politician, the able editor, the useful and respected citizen. Here he was the accomplished, well-cultured gentleman, clean in conversation and pure in thought, the unswerving, unselfish friend, the lovable and dearly loved companion whose absence, no matter how brief, made an unpleasant break in our daily walk and conversation.

And well may we mourn for him as for one of our own household, for never was there a son more devoted to the place of his birth than he. Here his happiest hours were spent, and no thoughts were so cherished and no dreams so happy as those that carried him back to Fayetteville and her people; and hither when he knew his hours were numbered he came to die and to be buried. No one who knew him can for a moment doubt it was his fixed purpose that his last vision of earth should be had at the place he loved so well, and to which he had so often turned with longing eyes.

Peter Mallett Hale was born in this place on the 10th day of November, 1829, and was the eldest child of the late Edward J. Hale, the founder and for so many years the editor of the old Fayetteville *Observer*. His mother was Sarah Walker, daughter of Col. Carlton Walker, and after her grand-father, old beloved Peter Mallett, he was named. He was prepared for college in the schools of this place, and in June, 1846, he entered the Sophomore class at the University. In June, 1849, he graduated, carrying off the highest collegiate honors awarded to his class, being its valedictorian, and having closely contested with the ablest men in his society for its highest honors.

After his graduation he went to Raleigh and studied law under Judge Badger. After remaining there for a year he returned to Fayetteville and became associated with his father in the *Observer* newspaper. He remained thus associated with his father without intermission until the beginning of the war when, as a member of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry Company, he joined the Bethel Regiment under Col. D. H. Hill.

The great event of his life after beginning his editorial career and prior to the war was his marriage to Mary, third daughter of Hon. Geo. E. Badger, which took place on the first of October, 1855.

After the return of his company from Yorktown an attack upon Fort Fisher being threatened, he was elected Major of that splendid organization.

The *News and Observer* says:

After this he returned to the editorial chair and maintained his connection with the Fayetteville *Observer* until Sherman destroyed the office and property of the newspaper in 1865, and soon after his father and himself removed to New York and opened there the publishing house of E. J. Hale & Son.

In 1876 Mr. Hale returned to North Carolina, and in conjuction with Col. W. L. Saunders began the publication of the *Observer* at Raleigh, at once establishing that paper on a higher plane of journalism than had ever before been attained by any North Carolina paper. The Wilmington *Journal*, which had been the leading paper of the State, was no longer in the field, and from the first the *Observer* was of commanding influence in North Carolina affairs. The work performed by Mr. Hale in this new field of journalism redounded to his honor and received the merited applause of his fellow-citizens. No other instrument had ever been so potent in developing the resources of the state and furthering the advancement of those works of internal improvement which have in more recent years contributed to her prosperity. Particularly may we say that his firm espousal of the measures inaugurated for the completion of the Western North Carolina railroad won for him the lasting gratitude of those sections of the state whose development depended upon the completion of that work. And the event justified the soundness of his judgment.

The great prosperity and advancement and progress we to-day witness across the mountains are largely due to the untiring efforts of Mr. Hale to secure for the people of that section those adequate facilities of transportatation which are the basis of their present activities.

In 1879 he retired from the control of the *Observer*, but he soon started another paper, *Hale's Weekly*, which in 1880 was merged in the *News*, of which paper he was editor until it was consolidated by its owners with the *Observer*.

Subsequently he published the *Register*, but being elected State Printer, he determined to devote himself exclusively to that business. In these latter years, after he had left the *Observer*, he prepared and published several works dealing with the material wealth of the state—the woods and forests of North Carolina, the mines and mineral resources of the state. In like manner he prepared the democratic hand-book of 1882, which received merited encomiums for its lucidity, thoroughness and comprehensiveness.

About eighteen months ago he discovered that he had a trouble that took the shape of cancer of the mouth, and that there was no remedy for the disease. Looking the inevitable issue squarely in the face, he had the fortitude to maintain his composure and be always ready to meet the dread summons. At length it has come. He passed away gently at the place of his birth on Thursday, 2nd inst.

The loss which has befallen us falls heavily on the state. The *News and Observer* says of Mr. Hale: As a political writer, he was sound and energetic always true to conviction and to principle, and his leadership was largely acknowledged by the press of the state. His style was easy, clear and forcible. He was an omnivorous reader, was classical in his tastes and a fine *belles-lettres* scholar. So well equipped and early trained to journalism under the eye of one of the best editors of the older generation, he never failed to elucidate every subject he discussed, and in his argumentation he brought to bear the full armament of his unusual powers.

He was a thorough gentlemen, with a high tone and chivalry in his nature and a keen detection of improper motive, which was always abhorrent to his feelings.

The Asheville *Citizen* says: Mr. Hale was an industrious worker, a vigorous and scholarly writer and of large and varied information. He had a very lofty idea of journalism, and he was at no pains to conceal his opinions or his feelings as excited by its shortcomings. But all readily recognized his ability and profited by his labors. No man performed more valuable service to the Democratic party in the campaigns of 1882 and 1884 than Peter M. Hale; and the fruits of his intelligent labor were a mine from which politicians, speakers and editors drew as from an exhaustless and infallible source.

Proposed Monument to P. M. Hale.

[Wilmington Star.]

North Carolina is always so slow in erecting monuments that it seems to be a waste of time to write about it. But we shall not feel satisfied till we write as follows: it would be a graceful and appreciative act on the part of the press of North Carolina if it would erect a monument to the memory of Maj. Peter M. Hale. If North Carolina ever had a first rate editor he is the one. If the State Press Convention would move in the matter it would be easy enough to place a monument over his remains. We would be glad to cooperate with others in this matter. It is not proposed that none but an editor shall contribute. Let the editors be the instruments or agents, and invite their friends to aid in the good work. Peter M. Hale was in every way worthy of a monument at the hands of his brethren of the Fabers.

STATE NEWS.

Dental Association at Morehead City.

The annunal meeting of the association was held at Morehead last week. We learn that much business was transacted, and that the profession is much encouraged by the progress made.

The meeting was the largest since the organization of the association. The executive committee is composed of Drs. J. H. Durham, H. C. Herring and Sid P. Hilliard. The following officers of the association were elected for next year: Dr. Thomas M. Hunter, of Fayetteville, president; Dr. Sid P. Hilliard, of Rocky Mount, 1st vice-president; Dr. C. L. Alexander, of Charlotte, 2d vice-president; Dr. H. C. Herring, of Concord, secretary; Dr. J. M. Hunter, of Salem, treasurer; Dr. E. L. Hunter, of Enfield, and Dr. J. H. Durham, of Wilmington, were elected members of the examing board for three years.

The board as now constituted is composed of the following gentlemen: Dr. J. E. Matthews, of Kenansville, Dr. J. W. Hunter, of Salem, Dr. E. L. Hunter, of Enfield, Dr. J. W. Durham, of Wilmington, Dr. J. F. Griffith, of Salisbury, and Dr. V. E. Turner, of Raleigh.

The next meeting of the association will be held at Raleigh, commencing the last Tuesday in May, 1888.

Wake Forest Commencement.

[Raleigh News-Observer.]

President Taylor announced that the exercises would be opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. Thomas Armitage, D. D., of New York.

President Taylor then presented to the audience Senator M. W. Ransom. He advanced, and for some time the audience listened in rapt attention to the eloquent and truthful utterances of the finest orator of North Carolina.

At the close of the speech Rev. Thomas Armitage, D. D., of New York, in a few pleasant remarks declared that there had never been a more eloquent, truthful speech from any man in the State. He closed by saying that New York had two splendid Senators, Evarts and Hiscock, but would say to the people of North Carolina, if they ever got tired of their Ransom, to send him up to New York.

The French medal was taken by Mr. J. J. Lane; the Latin medal by Mr. D. A. Davis and the Greek medal by Mr. J. B. Carlyle. These medals were presented by Rev. J. M. McManaway.

The medal for declamation was awarded to Mr. W. J. Sholar, of Raleigh. It was delivered by Gen. W. R. Cox.

Two Philomathesian medals were awarded—first, for oratory, to Mr. C. T. Ball; second, best essay, to Mr. J. B. Carlyle. These were delivered by Col. L. L. Polk.

Two Euzelean medals were awarded—first, for oratory, to Mr. W. J. Ward; second—best essay, to Mr. W. P. Stradley. Delivered by Rev. Thos. Dixon, Jr.

A medal for the best article to the Wake Forest *Student* was also awarded to Mr. W. P. Standly, of Oxford, by Rev. Baylus Cade.

WAKE FOREST NOTES.

The board of trustees of the college yesterday created a chair of English. The professor will be elected in July.

The degree of LL. D. was conferred on Prof. Woodrow Wilson, formerly of Wilmington, N. C., now of Bryn Mawr College, of Pennsylvania.

The alumni association at its meeting last evening elected Rev. Matthew T. Yates, D. D., of Shanghai, China, as alumni orator for 1888; Dr. J. B. Powers, of Wake Forest, Alternate.

The alumni banquet of Tuesday night was more largely attended than usual and was in every respect and detail a most enjoyable affair. Mr. J. B. Carlyle, of the class of 1887, made *the* speech of the evening.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by Rev. Thomas Armitage, D. D., of New York. It was a master-piece.

Trinity College.

The graduating exercises of this College were well attended last week. An unusual array of distinguished visitors was present. The graduating class, though small, numbering only six, were highly commended for their efficiency. It was composed of I. Hatcock, Norwood N. C.; J. R. Overman, Goldsboro; J. F. Fontress, Pleasant Garden; Dred Peacock, Wilson; J. H. Searborough, Mt. Gilead, and J. P. Andrews, Norwood.

Messrs. R. L. Alspaugh, O. C. Marsh, R. E. Causey, James Mann and Sam'l West were graduated in the business course.

The Wiley Gray Medal, was won by Mr. J. R. Overman, of Goldsboro.

The Braxton Craven Medal was presented to Mr. G. N. Raper, of High Point.

The mathematical medal was presented to Mr. E. J. Poe. The bibles were presented to the graduating class by Rev. S. D. Adams.

The valedictory addresses were delivered by Mr. Dred Peacock, of Wilson. He has won four medals, having won the Braxton Craven scholarship medal two years in succession. He is valedictorian in his class, and has made the highest figures on the grade books ever made by any student since the college was foutided.

At the conellusion of the exercises Judge Montgomery introduced President Crowell and delivered to him the seal of the institution. The new president delivered a half hour's address, and everybody is delighted.

Charlotte *Chronicle:* Mr. Henry Duckworth, of Severnville, is the owner of a cow that is somewhat remarkable in her milk and butter producing qualities. On the 29th of May, 1870, the cow had her last calf, but she is still giving a large quantity of milk. We knew a case of the kind here in Fayetteville.

A North Carolina Railroad.

[New Berne Journal.]

The road from Goldsboro to Morehead City is already distinctively North Carolinian. Build the connecting link from Goldsboro to the C. F. & Y. V., and then we will have the line from the southeast to the northwest, and a bright future for our North Carolina ports.

We have no desire to start the sap in the old spring topic—the A. & N. C. R. R.—as it seems to be life-sustaining without the application of artificial means to infuse the life-giving substance, but we know we speak the sentiments of a large majority of the people of the counties that own stock in it, in saying they earnestly desire to make it a part of the C. F. & Y. V. system. Secure this connection *now*, with the understanding that at the expiration of the lease of the North Carolina road to the Richmond & Danville it shall also become a part of the system, and we will have two lines of railway extending through the State in different directions, with Morehead City and New Berne as outlets. Then we will begin to realize the dreams of Governors Dudley and Morehead. This is the only hope for building up the ports of New Berne and Morehead City, and the building up of these will help this entire section of the State.

Lightning's Freaks.

[Wilmington Review.]

At about half past 1 o'clock this afternoon, during the prevalence of the thunder storm, the house of Mrs. C. L. Rush, corner of Sixth and Orange streets, was stricken by lightning, and about 15 feet on the Southeast corner was torn out and a large portion of the plastering in the house was torn down. The boards from the house were scattered in every direction. The electric fluid then entered the yard of Mr. A. S. Heide and tore up his flower garden, injured his cistern and burnt the tin gutters to a part of his house, but did no father damage.

Durham Ahead.

[Durham Reporter.]

Mr. James Green, living on Roxboro street, has a favorite hen, and he desired to set her eggs. He tells us that shortly before setting she laid a long egg, and one seemingly with two yolks. Mr. Green set this egg, however, and yesterday it hatched out a *duck*, and the little web-footed, downy thing is as frisky as if nothing unusual had happened. The hen, beyond a doubt, laid the egg, as it was taken up when she first began cackling, and marked.

Matrimonial Trinity.

[Workman.]

They wound up the commencement at Trinity College in a refreshing style: Mr. Dred Peacock, of Wilson, the valedictorian in his class, was married by Prof. Heitman, to Miss Ella, daughter of Prof. O. W. Carr; and one hour later Mr. B. B. Adams, of Little River, was married by Rev. Jesse H. Cunningim to Miss Florence, daughter of Prof. J. M. Bandy, of Trinity College.

Greensboro has a military company.

The only degree conferred by Wake Forest College was that of LL.D. upon Mr. Woodruff Wilson.

The Greensboro *Workman* has started its fifth volume. It is a sprightly paper, well up with the times.

Eighty-nine homing pigeons were turned loose in Greensboro last week for Germantown and Philadelphia—370 miles.

The County Commissioners of Wake granted license to Wm. Guersch to sell wine and beer. Mr. Guersch has since then seen no end to arrests. The whole matter will be settled by the Supreme Court.

Goldsboro *Messenger:* Mr. E. J. Hill, recently appointed Consul to Montevideo, left Monday for Washington City, whence he will soon sail for his post of duty. We wish him a safe and pleasant journey.

We saw in the Museum at the University of North Carolina, last week, *ninety-two* specimens of different kinds of North Carolina birds. They were killed near Chapel Hill and stuffed by Prof. Holmes.—*Home-Democrat.*

We are pained to learn from the Clinton *Caucasian* that Mr. Isham Royal, Superintendent of Public Instruction, was taken violently ill while attempting to perform his duties as Clerk of the County Board of Education last Monday.

Greensboro *Patriot:* Twenty-one magistrates out of the 36 appointed by the General Assembly came forward last Monday and qualified. The roll stands as follows: 38 Democrats, 11 Republicans and 3 Prohibitionists, with 36 vacancies to be filled by a Radical clerk.

The Laurinburg *Exchange* says: A juryman asked Judge Clark to excuse him last Monday, whereupon the Judge called for his excuse. He replied: "I was on the jury last June." "Yes sir," replied the Judge; "your experience will help you; take your seat in the jury box."

Five North Carolina boys graduated at the Naval Academy last week. Archibald Henderson Seales, Wm. G. McMillan, Thomas Washington, Andrew T. Long and Archibald H. Davis. Any of these who secure a certain percentage in his class will be sent on a two years' cruise. North Carolina is entitled to nine. Only six of the places are filled.

The Sparta State Normal school will be held from the 6th to the 29th of July, in the Academy building at Sparta, Alleghany county, N. C. This is one of the most attractive mountain sections of North Carolina and the teachers who attend the Normal School this summer will enjoy beautiful scenery, a pleasant climate and generous hospitality from a whole-souled people.

Charlotte *Chronicle:* The intimation contained in the *Chronicle* several days ago that the office of Col. A. J. Boyd, the collector of the new Fifth District, would be located in Charlotte has become a reality, as it is now a settled fact that the office is to be located here. Col. Boyd was in the city yesterday for the purpose of selecting offices and will be ready to open business in Charlotte on or before July 1st.

State Chronicle: The Executive Committee of the North Carolina Press Association has accepted the invitation of the people of Hendersonville to hold the next meeting of the Association in that beautiful mountain town on the 20th of July. Mr. James I. McRee, editor of the *News-Observer*, President of the Association, will preside. The annual oration will be made by Josephus Daniels, editor of the *State Chronicle*.

The Special Tax Cases.

There were two cases before the U. S. Circuit Court involving the special tax bonds. That brought by Morton, Bliss & Co. against the auditor was disposed of by the unanimous opinion of the court that the state could not be sued by a citizen of another state. The other suit, that of Temple against the state, presented the novel question as to whether the Circuit Court has jurisdiction of a case brought against a state by one of her own citizens. Temple is a citizen of North Carolina. On that question the court divided in opinion, Judge Bond holding that the court had jurisdiction, Judge Seymour that it had not. The matter now goes by appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States. It is a case of the first impression.—*News and Observer.*

These bonds were stolen from the people, and have long since been declared illegal, and in funding her bonds the State considered these as so much counterfeit money, utterly worthless, and has so ignored them. The decision of Judge Bond will cause trouble; already the market value has jumped from 3 cents to 17, and other suits will follow. The ease will be carried, of course, to the Supreme Court of the United States, and we have no doubt that it will be decided in favor of the State, but law is uncertain, and we must wait.

Three thousand immigrants landed at Castle Garden, New York, on Sunday.

Panic in Coffee.

NEW YORK, June 13.—The opening of the coffee exchange this morning was the most exciting in its history. In the limited space allowed for clerks and customers in the exchange, at the junction of Pearl and Beaver streets, was an excited throng anxious to reach the brokers with orders or to receive from them the result of orders already made, while around the ring almost every broker outside of the bear clique had orders. Buying orders to day generally came from Gruner and Crossman & Co. These firms represented the clique which first started the boom in coffee about eighteen months ago and caused it to advance from 8 to 18 cents per pound.

At the latter figure a number of Rio Saneiro operators, called the Brazilian party, who had been bears on the market all the way up to 18 changed their position and became buyers, and carried the price above 21 cents, which figure it crossed about two weeks ago. They are now said to be loaded heavily, one house being reported to hold 5,000 bags for their account.

The Gruner-Crossman party, on the other hand, who were the buyers to-day, are credited with unloading on the Brazilians around the highest figure. The failure of Mackay & Small, prominent coffee brokers of Water street, was announced this afternoon. The next failure was that of B. G. Arnold & Co. Their liabilities are stated above one million dollars, and a New York bank is said to be heavily involved. December advanced from $15.80 to $15.75. More failures are expected before the time to deposit margins expires.

B. G. Arnold was the originator of the coffee exchange and its president. He was formerly of the firm of Arnold, Sturgis & Co., one of the largest coffee houses in the United States.

Another failure is that of Norton Weyland, a heavy broker.

Southern Battle Flags Going Home.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—The *Sunday Capital* to-day publishes the following: "The President is said to have promised Adjutant-General Johnstone Jones of North Carolina, during his recent visit to this city, that all the flags taken from the Southern States during the late war should be returned to those States at an early date. This resolve on the part of the President is mainly due to the instrumentality of Adjutant-General Drum, a thoroughly national man, who wishes to withdraw from public gaze all mementoes of internecine strife."

Arms for the South.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Regulations have been framed by the war department for the purpose of carrying into effect the act of Congress making an annual appropriation to provide arms and equipments for the militia of states and territories. Under the apportionment of $400,000 appropriated last session the following sums go to Southern States: Alabama $9,216; Florida, $3,586; Georgia, $11,069; Louisiana, $7,373; Mississippi, $8,295; North Carolina, $10,138; South Carolina, $8,293; Tennessee, $11,069; Virginia, $11,059.

Postmasters Will Move for More Pay.

WASHINGTON, June 10.—Three thousand postmasters from all over the United States have decided to hold an annual convention in Washington in December next. The object of the convention will be to urge upon Congress legislation increasing the salaries of postmasters and changes in the classification of mail matter.

A Gift for All.

In order to give all a chance to test it, and thus be convinced of its wonderful curative powers, Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, will be, for a limited time, given away. This offer is not only liberal, but shows unbounded faith in the merits of this great remedy. All who suffer from Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, or any affection of Throat, Chest, or Lungs, are especially requested to call at B. E. Sedberry's Drug Store.

Renews Her Youth.

Mrs. Phœbe Chesley, Paterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old; have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years; could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to Electric Bitters for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain." Try a bottle, only 50c., at B. E. Sedberry's Drug Store.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.

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By day the strongest nerves to shake,
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Let no one pine away in grief,
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PRIOR'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY.

Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Sirs—I send you one dollar for which you will please send me one bottle of Prior's Rheumatic Remedy. I bought a 60 ct. bottle from you and I was well plensed with it. Yours,
J. M. CHAPPEL.
Gillisville, Cumberland Co., N. C.
Later Mr. Chappel writes:
Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Gents—At the time I commenced taking Prior's Rheumatic Remedy I was unable to walk a mile without suffering severely with rheumatism—in fact, would be laid up next day; but since taking less than two bottles I am able to *work all day without suffering the least inconveniences therefrom.* This remedy is all one could wish. Yours truly,
March 25, 1887. J. M. CHAPPEL.

Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Dear Sirs—I have been suffering from acute rheumatism for nearly nine months. During that time I have tried several remedies, but received no benefit until I tried Prior's Rheumatic Remedy. I am now nearly well, having taken but two bottles. I cheerfully recommend it to all who are suffering with rheumatism.
Very truly yours,
D. McC. ALFORD.
Fayetteville, N. C., Apl 20, 1887.
Mr. Alford was a student in the Graded School and boarded at Mr. J. A. Worth's.

Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Gentlemen—I had a severe attack of rheumatism in the neck. A few doses of Prior's Rheumatic Remedy gave me instant relief. Yours truly,
E. T. B. GLENN.
Fayetteville, N. C., May 7, 1887.

Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Dear Sirs—Prior's Rheumatic Remedy has done me more good than anything I ever took. Please send another bottle and oblige.
Yours,
TOM WOMBLE.
Bunn's Level, N. C., March 10, 1887.

Messrs. Pemberton & Prior:
Gentlemen—I found Prior's Rheumatic Remedy a fine alterative and tonic.
Very respectfully,
JOHN H. HUBBARD.
Fayetteville, N. C., January 27, 1887.

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feb 24-tf Next Door to People's Bank.

Order of Publication.

North Carolina, Harnett County, } In Superior Court.

J. E. Bryan, Adm'r Mrs. F. I. Murchison, dec'd.,
Versus
M. McKay, N. McKay, J. W. McKay, K. Murchison and wife M. E., and others, heirs at law of Mrs. F. I. Murchison.

Petition to Sell Real Estate for Assetts.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that parties, names unknown, heirs of Arch'd McKay, residing in Arkansas, defendants in the above entitled cause, reside beyond the limits of this State; it is, therefore, on motion, Ordered by the Court, That advertisement be made for six weeks successively in the OBSERVER, a weekly newspaper published in the town of Fayetteville, county of Cumberland, notifying said defendants of the filing of this petition, and that unless they appear on or before the 25th day of July, 1887, at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county of Harnett, and answer the petition, the same will be taken *pro confesso*, and heard *ex parte* as to them.

Witness my hand and official seal this, 3rd day of June, 1887.

J. A. CAMERON, C. S. C.,
june 9 6w Harnett County.

Not an Advertisement,

ONLY A

CARD OF THANKS.

Just one year ago the "MERCHANT MILLS" marked down the price of Meal to consumers to the COST PRICE of Corn. Many kind friends remarked: "Oh, well it won't last long." "He'll soon get sick of it," etc.

However, I'm the heartiest Rooster in the State.
"Red-hot and still heating."
Have doubled my capacity.
Running night and day.
Know nothing about "Hard Times."
And feel so much gratitude to the "blessed people
That I must thank them publicly
For their hearty support,
And advise them to keep up the good work

And Save 25 per cent. Profit on BREAD.

Respectfully,
mar 3-tf JAS. D. McNEILL.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Springs Hotel,
RED SPRINGS, N. C.
JUNE 1, 1887.

This charming and pleasant resort is now open for the accommodation of health and pleasure seekers. The generous patronage bestowed on me in the past, for which my thanks are due and tendered, has stimulated me to use my best and utmost endeavors for the comfort, convenience and pleasure of my guests in the future.

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LAND SALE.

By virtue of a bond for title, registered in Book Y, No. 3, page 490, for 100 acres of land near by J. Marshall Williams's residence, and given by him and Jno. D. Williams, parties of the one part, to Jos. A. Williams, of the other, wherein the parties of the first part agreed to give the party of the second part a good and lawful deed to said land when he complied with the terms therein stated; and whereas he, the party of the second part, has failed to do so, we, the parties of the first part, by the authority therein given us will sell at auction the said land for cash, at the Market House in Fayetteville, on Monday, the 4th of July. L. A. MURCHISON,
june 2 ts Attorney for Parties of the 1st Part.

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☞If you owe for your subscription to the OBSERVER, send the money for a receipt.

TO NEW SUBSCRIBERS.—We will furnish the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER and *North Carolina Farmer* from this date for two dollars and twenty-five cents a year.

What about the 4th of July?

The Fayetteville Bank is being treated to a fresh coat of paint.

The melon crop is expected to be fine this year—present prospects are good.

There has been a heavy decline in coffee—not sufficient, however, for us poor folks to use it.

Rev. A. L. Phillips was too unwell to conduct the services at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Premium lists for the Cumberland Fair are ready. We will begin the publication of them next week.

Dog days are nearly here and it will soon be time to put a collar on your dog to keep him from going mad.

Prof. Shepherd and Prof. Graham, both Fayetteville men, will occupy positions at the Wilson Normal School.

A gentleman tells us that where the electric light shines on his garden the vegetables grow faster than elsewhere.

We notice that peaches were shipped from Friendship, N. C., on the 8th, and yet we have not seen any for sale here.

Several of the unfortunate blind children from the asylum passed through here last week to spend the vacation at home.

There is no pleasanter, cooler or neater looking place in town these hot days than the shady front yard of the Bell House.

List your taxes. The listers will close their books on the 25th. We understand that very few property holders have listed.

Why do not some of our young men get up a tennis club? It would be better than base ball, for they could have the girls to help.

There is very little tobacco planted in this section this year. This is the case in a good many places. It has gone up 30 per cent.

Miss Mamie Hatchet has been canvassing Fayetteville for the past week for the *Orphan's Friend*. She was, as always, successful.

Hon. John Manning, Professor of Law at the University of North Carolina, is spending his vacation with his son-in-law, Mr. Weldon Huske.

Mr. Z. B. Newton, who has been traveling in Robeson, reports the crops of corn and cotton in that section as luxuriant and in a clean condition.

Services were conducted in the Methodist Church on last Sunday by Rev. P. L. Croome, colporteur, Rev. Mr. Gibbs having been called to the bed of his sick mother.

D. McD. Grady, recently assistant clerk of the Superior Court, paid us a short visit last week. Mr. Grady is now Register Postal Clerk between Washington and Wilmington.

The Hornet's Nest Rifles, of Charlotte, and the Southern Stars, of Lincolnton, two of the Bethel Companies, celebrated June 10th, the anniversary of the battle of Bethel, at Lincolnton.

We learn that an injunction has been served upon the Trustees of the town of Fayetteville to prevent them from selling the town's interest (stock) in the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway.

Tom Graham and wife (colored) were arrested by Marshal Flowers, charged with selling a beef, the property of Rufus Jackson. We understand that this is by no means an isolated case.

The Overbaugh House, which has been recently thoroughly painted, presents a handsome appearance, and we doubt not that its exterior is but a fair criterion of the interior; so say its patrons.

The Wilson train on Tuesday morning carried quite a number of teachers and others to Morehead City. The Teachers' Assembly this year will be the largest ever held. Great interest is manifested in it.

The colored folks from Tarboro and Wilson to the number of three hundred and fifty had a pleasant day of it here on Tuesday. They occupied their twelve hours' stay in all sorts of ways, and behaved well.

Thanks to the marshals for an invitation to the commencement exercises at Davidson, which opened yesterday. It is its semi-centennial year and will be celebrated in becoming style. It would be pleasant to be there.

The change of weather on Friday evening last was a pleasant one. The week had been extremely hot, the thermometer ranging daily in the nineties, and the cool change was refreshing. Sunday was a delightful day.

We learn that the Atlantic Coast Line will build a large brick warehouse at their depot.

Thanks to the committee for an invitation to a basket picnic at Dunn's on Friday, June 24th. If possible, we will be there.

Rev Thos. Atkinson, recently elected Assistant Rector of St. John's, is expected to arrive to-day. If so, he will preach on Sunday next.

There will be a meeting of the Real Estate Agency this afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Library Rooms. It is desirable that every member be present.

From the *News and Observer* we learn that Miss Mabel C. Green, daughter of Col. Wharton J. Green, attained the highest mark in her class at St. Mary's School, Raleigh, N. C.

There will be an excursion from Wilson to this place on the 23rd. Base ballers had better practice, or else they will get another drubbing. The Presbyterian Sunday School does not come on the excursion. They are coming, however.

We measured the old oak tree in front of Mr. John Garrett's residence yesterday, about 1½ feet above the ground, and found the circumference to be 18 feet 9 inches. It is one of the oldest and largest trees on Cross Creek, and still retains its beauty.

Messrs. Sutton & Henzi, proprietors of the Novelty Works, are now busy making the doors and sash, &c., for the La Fayette Hotel. They have lately made an addition to the factory, the whole length of the building 16x104, and put in considerable machinery. They are working men.

We print elsewhere an article giving the value of dogs, but our old friend, J. K. Kyle, says Fayetteville is not far behind, for he values his fine setter at $800. We notice, however, that the tax assessors place the nominal sum of only $1.00 on him. How's that for cash valuation?

Among those who graduated at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, last week with credit, we are pleased to see the name of William G. McMillan, son of Mr. Hamilton McMillan, Red Springs. He passed through Fayetteville this week for a few days at home, with orders to report at New York on the 20th for two years' service afloat.

Our citizens will be glad to hear that the cigarette mouth-piece machine patented by Mr. J. B. Underwood, of this town, is a perfect success. The machine was leased to Messrs. W. Duke & Sons, with the privilege of testing it thirty days, and after a few days' trial they write that they are perfectly satisfied, that its success is an established fact. We understand that the lease is for three years, with the privilege of extending it.

We are in receipt of the full proceedings of the annual meeting of the stockholders of the C. F. & Y. V. Railway held at Walnut Cove, May 5th. We have published the report of the President and given the summing up of the Superintendent, Mr. J. W. Fry, so need only repeat that its prospects are bright. The report is published in a neat pamphlet of 36 pages. Its typography and general get up reflects credit upon the office of Mr. J. E. Garrett.

We have conversed with a good many farmers, and without exception they all say our crop prospects are splendid, that the outlook is cheerful; and if the gardens and patches around Fayetteville be samples of the growing crop, they have reason for feeling good. We have looked into a good many gardens. All are excellent, but our old friend J. A. Worth's, is the equal if not the best we have seen, though perhaps not so forward. His onions, tomatoes, corn, potatoes, beans, &c., are good to look at and will soon be good to eat.

The *Twin City Daily* says that Mr. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, offered $15,000 for a piece of property in Greensboro on which he desired to erect a smoking tobacco factory, but the offer was refused. If Mr. Carr will come to Fayetteville he can find a place equally adapted and as desirable and at a much lower figure. He will also find that our railroad rates will compare favorably with any other point. Suppose, Mr. Carr, that you try Fayetteville? It will be glad to welcome you, and needs just such a man.

THE NEW ROLLER MILL.—We visited yesterday the new mill of Messrs. Styron & Bro. on Cross Creek, and were surprised to see the progress made. The dam and its fixtures are all complete, and a Burnham improved wheel is already in place. The mill, which is situated on the hill about 115 feet from the dam, fully forty feet above the dam, is now nearly ready. Mr. Styron thinks that about the first of next week it will be ready for work. The mill will be connected with the water power by a rope cable, sufficient to turn all the machinery. We looked at the machinery, the gleaner, rollers, &c., but will wait till it is in operation before we attempt to describe it. The building is three stories, with a basement. It is handsomely painted and adds much to the appearance of things. Mr. Styron is now negotiating with the Coast Line Company for a branch road to his mill, and he thinks it will be built if the citizens along the line do not put obstacles in his way. The road will require no grading, will not injure the street. The cars will not run over it more than twice a week, and we hope for the good it will do that those opposed will withdraw their objections and not throw obstacles in the way of business progress. Mr. Styron has shown much energy and business capacity since he came here, and to such men we should lend all aid possible.

BETHEL CELEBRATION.—Quite a party of veterans, marshaled by Col. J. B. Starr, with a few invited guests, celebrated the anniversary of the battle of Bethel, June 10th, at Rhodes' Mill, on Wilson Shortcut, and the report from the survivors of the pleasantly-spent day makes one regret that he could not have been there to have witnessed the scene, if not to have participated in its jolly festivities. We understand that the things to refresh the inner man were in abundance—ice, lemons, sugar, &c., &c.; and things to eat—well, no end to them! Fishing, not fish, was the order of the day. Plenty were seen, but they did not relish the bait. One of the party actually went in headforemost, we suppose to catch a fish. This made it necessary to procure at once something to keep the the poor fellow from taking cold, although the thermometer stood at 96 in the shade. The incidents of the day are too good for the general public, but we are thankful to say that no one was bitten by a snake, as on the last anniversary. Snakes, perhaps, were afraid to bite, and so, as yet, no snakes have been seen. *They may be.*

These reunions are always pleasant. They take one away from the busy throng, and cast dull care to the winds. May they be kept up, for Bethel's sake and the fun.

CUMBERLAND MILLS.—This piece of property was the only mill not destroyed by Sherman in this section of country. It was until recently the property of Mr. E. J. Lilly, but is now owned by a company, under the name of Cumberland Mills, of which Mr. O. A. Robbins is chief manager. Since the purchase they have been constantly changing the old machinery for new of the latest and most improved designs, and are now making preparations to put in fifty additional looms, thus increasing the number of employees and output of the mill. This addition they estimate will make the daily output fully 7,500 yards of plaids. They are also painting and white-washing and improving the tenement houses, making things neat and comfortable, and giving the place an appearance of thrift. A new dye house will also be added. At present everything is working well and the goods are bringing good prices. Mill property in this section is now profitable and the work of the past year has been very encouraging.

EXCURSION FROM MILLBORO.—Messrs. R. P. Dick, of Naomi Falls, and John H. Ferree, of Randleman, gave a free excursion to this place to the operatives of their factories on Saturday last, numbering five hundred and twenty-five. A large majority of these people had never seen a railroad car or a steamboat, so they were doubly paid by their trip to Fayetteville. A more orderly, well behaved set of people is rarely seen. The merchants greeted their arrival with music from the Fayetteville Cornet Band, and soon the immense crowd scattered here, there and everywhere, so that the addition to our population was scarcely perceptible. They left Fayetteville immediately on the arrival of the 3½ o'clock train in good humor and spirits.

DR. T. M. HUNTER.—It is a compliment, and one well deserved, that the Dental Association at Morehead conferred upon our townsman, Dr. Hunter, in electing him President of their Association. He is the youngest man that has ever been honored by the Society. But though young in years he is nevertheless as far or farther advanced in his profession than most men. He has chosen a profession that he loves, one that inclination and mechanical talent pointed out, and his great aim has been to give it character. Such men deserve well of their fellow-men, and in this instance merit has won the honors. We congratulate him.

MILITARY INSPECTION.—Tuesday afternoon Col. F. H. Cameron, Inspector General of the State Troops, inspected the Independent Light Infantry. The inspection took place in front of the Overbaugh House. The Company paraded forty-seven men, and made a splendid appearance. It is one of the best equipped companies in the State, and either in the mannual of arms or in marching is the equal of the best, and it was so conceded by Col. Cameron.

Personals.

President Bridgers was here yesterday.

Miss Minnie Raynor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Thornton.

Mr. R. M. Albright, of Greensboro, spent a few days in our city this week.

Dr. E. L. Hunter, father of Dr. T. M. Hunter, spent several days here this week among his numerous friends.

Masters Aiken Mallett and Eugene Gorham, who have been pursuing their studies at the Davis Military School, are at home for the vacation.

IN MEMORIAM.

PETER M. HALE.

[For the Observer.]

No man, within the last decade, has died in North Carolina more universally respected and beloved than the subject of this sketch. The few years of acquaintance that the writer had the privilege of enjoying were all-sufficient to develop what manner of man he was.

His personal magnetism was truly wonderful, and it was not the result of any practiced art, but the very sunshine and nobility of a nature that drew towards him all who came within the radius of his acquaintance. He was one of the few unselfish men of this day and generation. He lived for his family and friends—his was the life of a true man and patriot. The service he has rendered North Carolina, and a great deal of it gratuitous, will be felt for our good in years yet to come, while the beneficiaries, to a great extent, so unostentatiously was it done, will never know the source of the blessing. The relations between Mr. Hale and the writer during the winter of 1887 were close, and always with pleasure and profit to the latter.

The official station which he then occupied was one of great responsibility, and it was universally conceded and nowhere denied, that he had discharged the duties incumbent upon him as faithfully and satisfactorily as any of his long line of predecessors. No complaint was made. None could be made.

Although confined to his home, he was on trial, not for any remissness of duty, but put upon trial by the place hunter who desired that he be ousted, that others might profit thereby. Thus taken at a great disadvantage, which he fully appreciated, he never became discouraged and never showed signs of weakness or wavering. His friends rallied around him, and never had man more loyal friends that were faithful to the last; and for every one who came to him was the cheerful word, the bright eye, the cordial grasp of one of nature's noblemen. Sometimes one or more of us became discouraged, or rather disgusted, at the arts and methods resorted to encompass his defeat. Then it was that Mr. Hale with all the elements of a heroic leader would cheer his friends, raise his standard the higher and neither think nor hear of anything but victory.

Combinations he scorned, though some were temptingly offered him. It was his to win fairly or not at all. He set no traps, built no blinds, but fought in an open field. He would succeed by honorable means alone or go down gloriously.

"An Israelite indeed, in whom there was no guile;
His words were bonds. His oaths were oracles.
His tears pure messengers of love sent from his heart,
His heart as far from fraud as heaven from earth."

In all the relations of life Mr. Hale was an example of heroic fortitude, a brave and a true man. He has left behind him a record of an honorable and well spent life.

He was a man who had the courage of his convictions, and under all circumstances ever dared to do right. He shrank from no responsibility and never failed to do what he conceived to be his duty. The mission of the ancient philosopher in his search by daylight with a lighted taper for an honest man, would have come to a successful termination had he met Peter M. Hale.

It may be truly said that in him

"The elements were so mixed,
That all nature might stand up and say,
This was a man."

Here in Fayetteville among his friends who loved him most, because they knew him best, he breathed his life away, and in accordance with his expressed wish his last resting place is in "the city of the dead" on the banks of Cross Creek, the murmurings of whose waters pay tribute with their ceaseless lullaby to the virtues of the dead.

A good man has gone to his reward. Peace to his ashes. S.

Resolutions of St. Joseph's Church.

At a meeting of the Vestry of St Joseph's Church, held June 5th, the undersigned were appointed a committee to draft resolutions expressive of the sentiment of the congregation in regard to the resignation tendered to the Church by the Rev. H. S. McDuffey.

WHEREAS: It has been our rare good pleasure to have in our midst a gentleman so earnest, pious and zealous as the Rev. H. S. McDuffey, and whereas he has resigned his commission as pastor in charge, and has seen fit to change his field of labor to other portions of the Master's Vineyard; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in behalf of St. Joseph's congregation we beg to express our high appreciation of his services in our midst during the past five years.

Resolved, That Providence has never sent a worker in our midst who has done more good and with whom we have been more highly pleased.

Resolved, That we, whose hearts he has won by love and kindness, tender our grateful acknowledgment for the innumerable spiritual benefits which we have received by the blessing of God through his administration.

Resolved, That it is our aim and intention to meet all obligations resting upon us at the shortest possible notice.

Resolved, That as he shall go forth in untried lands to accomplish the Master's work, that our prayers and best wishes for success shall accompany him, and that we shall ever hold his services in grateful remembrance.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Rev. H. S. McDuffey and also to the FAYETTEVILLE OBSERVER and the *Afro American Churchman* with request to publish.

GEO. H. WILLIAMS,
J. S. LEARY,
ISAAC B. HALL,
} Com.

Harnett's Finances.

[For the Observer.]

LILLINGTON, Harnett Co., N. C.,
June 13, 1887.

The Board of County Commissioners for Harnett county made their annual report of the financial condition of the county to the Board of Justices as follows:

Net amt. poor tax, 1886,	$ 874 96	
Amnt. expended for poor,		832 69
Net amt. county tax, 1886,	1,885 32	
Amt. expended co. use,		1,815 25
Net amt. jury tax, 1886,	593 57	
Amt. paid to jurors,		369 81
Net amt. bridge tax,	243 64	
Amt. pd. for bridges,		267 35
	$3,597 49	$3,285 10

COUNTY INDEBTEDNESS.

Due H. Lilly's estate,	$17,000 00
Due E. J. Lilly,	241 00
Due E. L. Pemberton,	230 00
Total,	$17,471 00

B.

Kerr Craige Collector.

[Special to the News and Observer.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 14.

Mr. Kerr Craige was to-day appointed collector of the new fifth district. This is official.

Eleven hundred boxes of beans shipped from Clinton Monday night, the freight on which was $275 and the hauling to Warsaw would have been $110. Did you ever hear of anybody who said Clinton had no use for a railroad?—*Caucasian.*

Durham *News:* Last Wednesday, near Chapel Hill, a young farmer by the name of Luther Strowd, who had been cutting wheat, fell from the fence on which he was sitting, and was pierced through the body with his cradle which was lying in the fence corner. He died shortly after from lockjaw.

Winston *Daily:* The *Weekly Sentinel* of this place, has been purchased by Mr. Vernon W. Long, a recent graduate of Chapel Hill, who will in the future assume the editorial management of its columns.

The Charlotte *Observer*, so long conducted by Mr. Chas. R. Jones, has changed hands, and Mr. Harvey A. Deal takes charge. Financial trouble is the cause. The dull times, and slow pay, or rather no pay at all, are felt in any business establishment, but more among newspaper men than elsewhere. It costs no little to run a newspaper.

The Charleston baseball club have wiped out Columbia, Wilmington and Charlotte. The professional term is, we believe, "Shown them how to pocket a goose egg."

Indians are again on the war path, and much trouble is looked for.

An earthquake in Turkestan, on June 10, destroyed the town of Vernome. One hundred and twenty-five persons were killed and injured.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Glover Avent, in Haywood, Chatham county, on the night of June 8th, Mr. Joseph F. Womble to Miss Bella Avent, Rev. R. T. N. Stephenson officiating.

DIED.

In Lenoir, N. C., April 17, 1887, at the home of her sister, the late Mrs. Rankin, Miss Lydia S. Salmon, daughter of David Salmon, formerly of Fayetteville.

At her residence, near Summerville, Harnett county, June 10, 1887, Miss Mary Bethea, aged 86.

Wilmington Market.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 15, 6 P. M.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 32½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN.—The market quoted firm at 85 cents per bbl. for strained and 90 cents for Good Strained.

GENERAL FAYETTEVILLE MARKET.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1887.

N. C. BACON—		FODDER,	80 @ 90
Hog Round,	11	HIDES—	
Sides,	10	Flint—good,	11
Hams,	12½	Flint—damaged,	5 @ 8
WEST. BULK MEATS—		Dry Salt,	9 @ 10
Sides,	8½	Green,	4½
Shoulders,	7	IRON—	
WESTERN BACON—		American,	3
Sides,	9½	Swedes,	5 @ 6
Hams,	16	LARD—	
Shoulders,	8	N. Carolina,	10
BAGGING,	8	Western,	8½ @ 9
BEEF—		LEATHER—	
On foot,	3½	Upper, country,	35 @ 40
Dressed,	5 @ 6	Sole, Hemlock,	25 @ 27
BEESWAX,	18 @ 20	Harness, c'ntry,	25 @ 30
BUTTER—		MOLASSES,	25 @ 35
North Carolina,	20 @ 25	NAILS—	
Northern,	30 @ 35	(10d basis),	2.75
COFFEE—		PORK—	
Java,	25 @ 30	Fresh,	6½
Rio,	22½ @ 25	Mess,	(None.)
COTTON YARN,	85 @ 95	POTATOES—	
COTTON TIES,	1.15 @ 1.40	Sweet,	75 @ 80
CHICKENS,	15 @ 25	Irish—bbl.,	2.50
EGGS,	12½ @ 15	SALT,	(None.)
FLOUR—		SUGARS—	
N. C. Family,	(None.)	Coffee,	6 @ 6½
West. Fam.,	5.00 @ 6.50	Granulated,	7 @ 8
CORN MEAL—	65 @ 70	SHEETINGS,	6½
GRAIN—		SHUCKS,	50
Corn,	70	TALLOW,	5
Oats,	50	WOOL,	18
Rye,	85	SPIRITS—	
Peas,	1 00	Corn Whisky,	1.75 @ 2.00
HAY—		Rye Whisky,	1.75 @ 3.00
N. Carolina,	40 @ 60	Ap. Brandy,	1.75 @ 3.00
Northern,	90	Peh Brandy,	1.75 @ 3.00

Fayetteville Cotton and Naval Stores Market.

Corrected by A. E. Rankin & Co.

COTTON.—The market opened on Monday of this week at 10¼ cents firm, remaining on Tuesday and yesterday at the same price.

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits was firm yesterday at 30 cents.

Rosin was steady, prices ranging from 70 and 80 cents for common.

Crude Turpentine—Hard $1.00, Yellow Dip $1.85, Virgin $2.25.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

JAS. S. EVANS,
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
AGENT FOR
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ALSO COTTON GINS and PRESSES,
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I can sell with guarantee from the companies I represent any of above Machinery, and wish it distinctly understood that I can name prices that not only can not be named by anyone else, but will be lower than first-class goods have ever been offered at before. Anyone wishing information in regard to any kind of Machinery can address or call on Mr. N. H. Smith, who will answer all inquiries in my absence.
june 16 3m J. S. EVANS.

FAYETTEVILLE NOVELTY WORKS
Still to the Front!
And prepared to make Sash, Blinds, Doors and other material for building purposes. Planing and building done to order. For information write to
SUTTON & HENZI,
june 16 6m Proprietors.

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Now that the hot weather is upon us, it would be well for the

LADIES

to put away their sewing and visit Frank Thornton's elegant establishment and buy their

UNDERWEAR.

He offers an unprecedented Stock, at prices less than the material can be purchased for.

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guaranteed perfection in fit and style, made of best quality of muslin and trimmed with fine LACES, HAMBURGS and CAMBRIC RUFFLES.

Chemises { For 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c., 85c., $1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.25.
Drawers { For 30c., 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c., 85c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.
Corset Covers { For 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 75c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.50.
Night Gowns { For 75c., 85c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2, $2.50, $3.
Shirts { For 50c., 75c., $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75, $2,00, $2.50.

An early examination of this Stock would be to your advantage.

Agents for BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

Orders by mail solicited.

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Fayetteville, N. C.
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Add much to the breakfast table.
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DISINTEGRATED and STRAINED,
For Vegetables and Fruits. Call and examine.
On sale at Headquarters,
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The Finest Assortment in this city.
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SUNDOWN
FOR THE HEATED TERM.
Owing to contract with all leading houses in our city, HEADQUARTERS will close at 7½ P. M. for summer months. Show your approval by having all *orders* for delivery in by 7 P. M., and allow us to meet said obligation.
Hot weather suggests
Iced Tea
and the rapid strides that Coffee is now making in prices. I would recommend more Tea drinking, it being decidedly more healthful and
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HEADQUARTERS,
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can beat the world on Tea. *Try* my Teas, and know how good Tea drinks.
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As is universally known, BOND E. SEDBERRY has been in the Drug business in Fayetteville for
30 YEARS 30 YEARS
During that time he has been forced to furnish medicine free to scores and scores of poor people who were not able to pay for prescriptions and medicine. Under the circumstances he felt it to be his duty to do the best he could to relieve them. This he did, and in the great majority of cases the remedies acted well. The result was that he discovered a valuable remedy for each of the following diseases:
Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Summer Complaints, Kidney Trouble, Coughs and Falling off of the Hair.
For reasons best known to himself he has never advertised or pushed them, and perhaps he never will, but if he does they will be called:
Sedberry's own Thunder and Lightning Rheumatic Remedy.
Sedberry's own Thunder and Lightning Remedy for Neuralgia.
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is TOO WELL KNOWN for comment. I carry the largest stock of W. G. Wilson's Crackers, the greatest variety and largest stock of Pickles, Preserves, Jellies, Jams, Fruits, Nuts and Candies, Canned Meats, Canned Vegetables, Canned Fruits, Glass Goods—Lamb Tongues, Mushrooms, Salads, Catsups, Sauces; Foreign and Domestic Fruits preserved in their own fluid, Extracts and Essences, Imported Olive Oil, Pure Crab Apple Vinegar—4 years old, Royal Baking Powder and all other desirable Baking Powders, Oatmeal, Hominy, Maccaroni, Farina, Vermicelli, Pine Apple and English Dairy Cheese, Fancy Full Cream Mild Summer Cheese, Green and Roasted Coffees—unrivalled, Teas—Black and Green—selected by an expert, Spices of all kinds, Corn Starch, Gelatine, Laundry Starch, Laundry Soaps, Toilet Soaps, Bluing, Blacking, Shoe Dressing and Polish, and anything that can be mentioned and found in First-class Houses.

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BROWN & RODDICK,
27 HAY STREET, - FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.,
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In all Shades and Prices.
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LACES LACES
In Torchon, Oriental and Valenciennes.
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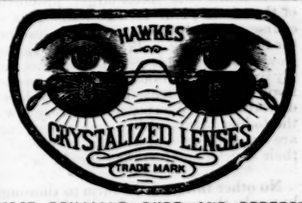
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Is very large and complete, and our prices are very low.
We sell goods such as are found in a
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They are as Transparent and Colorless as Light Itself,
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THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE,
And are recommended by the medical faculty throughout the country. No pressure producing irritations; no danger of cancer, that is sometimes the result of wearing other eyeglasses; resting with ease upon any nose.

FROM THE GOVERNOR OF LOUISIANA.
BATON ROUGE, Louisiana, January 23, 1886.
To Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: I desire to testify to the great superiority of your Crystalized Lenses. They combine great brilliancy with softness and pleasantness to the eye more than any I have ever found. S. D. McENERY,
Governor of Louisiana.

FROM GOVERNOR IRELAND, OF TEXAS.
To Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: It gives me pleasure to say that I have been using your glasses for some time past with much satisfaction. For clearness, softness and for all purposes intended, they are not surpassed by any that I have ever worn. I would recommend them to all who want a superior glass.
Very respectfully yours, JOHN IRELAND.

SIGHT IMPROVED.
NEW YORK CITY, April 4, 1884.
Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: Your patent eyeglasses received some time since, and am very much gratified at the wonderful change that has come over my eyesight since I have discarded my old glasses and am now wearing yours. ALEXANDER AGAR,
Secretary Stationers' Board of Trade.

FROM THE MINISTER TO JAPAN,
Mr. A. K. Hawkes—Dear Sir: I am much pleased with the pantiscopic glasses you so perfectly adapted to my eyes; with them I am enabled to read, as in my youth, the finest print with the greatest ease. I cheerfully recommend them to the public.
Respectfully, R. B. HUBBARD,
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Where an immense assortment of these celebrated glasses can be found and properly adapted to all conditions of the eye.
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WHOLESALE DEPOTS { ATLANTA, GA. AUSTIN, TEXAS.
june 2

TO THE CONFEDERATE DEAD.

Death Is of Life a Factor.

[By Mrs. Margaret I. Weber.]

This beautiful poem was read by Mr. A. H. Merrill on Decoration Day in Nashville, Tenn.

I.

Your dust to us is sacred, O my brothers!
We'll teach our children's children to revere
Your memory, that they may tell to others
Your deeds of valor—courage, without fear,
Tho' overpowering numbers, drawing near,
Did ever threaten you. Ye never failed!
Only as man may judge—he sees unclear.
'Tis true the Southern cross in dust was trail'd,
'Tis true our hopes were crushed, ye deathless dead bewailed.

II.

Ye mourning mothers, in the dear Southland,
Ye widowed hearts that bleed but will not break,
Ye sorrowing sisters, who, with busy hand,
Plied many tasks of love for their sweet sake,
Think you your anguished hearts, that yet do ache,
Must suffer all these years such pangs in vain?
Believe, dear ones, the sacrifice you make,
Your struggle still with poverty and pain
Will have reward—our seeming loss will be a gain.

III.

In God's own way, we now can see the dawn
Of better days; look at the South from shore
To shore—her night of darkness almost gone.
The master, who the thralldom felt far more
Than slave, is now more free than ever before;
Unshackled men and women will aspire,
With minds and hearts and souls set free, to soar
To heights unknown; and ardently desire,
With every height attained, the strength to go still higher.

IV.

Brothers! Your cause shall not be lost! God's plan
May be to take us by the Holy rood;
But though we suffer erewhile 'neath the ban,
Your sense of right was motive power for good;
And He in time would give us all we would.
Death is of life a factor, and the brave
Make sacrifice not always understood,
But nothing e'er is lost, ye true! ye brave!
A bright aureola shines on every grave!

AGRICULTURAL.

When to Cut Clover.

The *Live Stock Journal* asks: "What says chemistry about the proper time to cut clover?" and answers its own question thus: "The results of analyses do not seem to favor any of the periods when clover is usually cut. The tables give the nutritive ratio of clover in full bloom—the time perhaps most generally agreed upon—as one part of nitrogenous material to 5.7 of carbonaceous. This is a very good ratio for ordinary feeding purposes, but clover cut at this time does not appear to be at its best. When cut before blossoming, the feeding ratio is given as one of nitrogenous to 3.8 of carbonaceous material. This is pretty strong meat, and will admit of corn stalks, or straw, as a part of the ration, and still be up to the standard. Clover cut before the blossom has about one third larger proportion of muscle and cheese making material than that cut in full blossom; and usually the more nitrogenous foods are counted the more valuable. There is no trouble in getting the carbonaceous, but care must be taken that they are in a digestible form. Coarse fibre is not; yet this is what we get in overripe fodder. Another point in favor of the clover cut before blossom, and just about the time it is ready to begin to open, is that it is more easily digested. There is not so much bulk, but a larger proportion of the whole plant is digested. This, of course, makes it more nutritious, and better for producing milk or beef. Letting clover stand until it gets more mature simply increases the amount of carbonaceous fibre, but the increase is offset by loss of digestibility. We suspect that very few of the fodder plants and grasses, except corn, are cut and cured at as early a period of their development as they should be."

No other thing on the farm so thoroughly marks the progress of agriculture as the rapidly increasing use of red clover. The twofold benefits of clover are so obviously manifest to every farmer, that the increase of its use is not surprising. Its wonderful yield as a forage crop makes it one of the most desirable to raise, whether to be fed green or cured in the shape of rowen.—*N. O. Farmer.*

Everybody admits that clover is the best kind of hay for cows, but it is commonly objected to as food for horses, especially those inclined to heaves. It is often dusty because it is apt to be injured in curing. Another objection is that horses like clover hay so well and eat so greedily of it that their stomachs are overloaded. Injury from hard driving, under such circumstances, is inevitable. But if clover hay is cut and wet, then mix a little meal, it is probably the most economical feed for any horse, and will do no injury to any, however broken-winded. Clover hay is extremely nutritious, and only a small quantity per day will be needed fed with grain.—*Progressive Farmer.*

Almost every month in the year there is something that should be done in the orchard. Now it is the borers to look after. Look at the trunk of the tree near the ground, for the chips thrown out, which look somewhat like sawdust. When found the hole will usually be seen just above them. Next with a sharp penknife enlarge the hole a little, and put in a fine wire about as large as a knitting needle. This will easily follow him to his retreat, and a slight trust will stab him to death.

Forcing Strawberries.—Mr. Bailey, of Montgomery county, Tenn., has found a way to force strawberries. About the 1st of March he covered half of his bed with canvass of thin cotton goods, such as farmers use for keeping flies off of tobacco plants. Boards or plank twelve inches wide were set around the edge and wires stretched across to hold up the sheet. By this plan he grew strawberries two weeks ahead of the usual time.

No thrifty farmer will permit coarse weeds, thistles, briars or bushes of any any kind to grow by the roadside adjoining his fields. One or two days' work each year for two or three years with a stout bush scythe will cause these unprofitable varieties of vegetation to give place to valuable grasses.

A piece of charcoal laid upon a burn will ease it almost immediately, and if kept there about an hour, it is said, the wound will be entirely healed.

STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

The Drowning of Two Boys Near Raleigh.

RALEIGH, June 7.—A most distressing case of drowning occurred here this afternoon, which threw the city into deep grief. The victims of this disaster were James McPheeters, and Otho Hughes, the eldest son of William H. Hughes. The accident occured at a bathing place on Walnut creek, a small stream south of the city. A party of a dozen boys, of which Hughes and McPheeters were the largest, went to the place to bathe. Ordinarily the water is shallow, but heavy rains have washed out the sand and made deep water. Hughes and McPheeters were unable to swim and began to sink soon after they entered the water. Willie Hughes, a younger brother of Otho, made earnest efforts to save him, but to no purpose. Both Otho Hughes and McPheeters sank for the last time locked in each other's arms. Hughes was sixteen years of age and McPheeters fourteen. The bodies were not recovered for over an hour. They were brought into the city after nightfall. Great crowds collected and the deepest sympathy was expressed for the parents of both the boys.

N. C. Dental Association.

A special from Morehead City to the Raleigh *News and Observer* says:

The North Carolina Dental Association convened here to-day (Tuesday). The following dentists were present: Drs. B. H. Douglass, H. C. Herring, J. F. Griffith, J. H. Durham, J. H. Freeman, A. M. Baldwin, E. Matthews, E. L. Hunter, T. M. Hunter, Sid. P. Hilliard, J. W. S. Spurgeon, J. E. Wyche, J. R. Woodley, B. F. Smathers, J. E. Shields, C. L. Alexanders, D. Snell, J. G. Queen, Wm. Lynch, A. G. Daniels and Z. W. Selby. The following were admitted to membership in the association: Drs. J. W. Griffith, Wm. Lynch, J. E. Shields, J. E. Wyche and A. M. Baldwin. There are many applicants before the board of examiners. Dr. J. R. Woodley, of Norfolk, is present, representing the Virginia Dental Association. Several of the old members are absent on account of sickness, including Drs. Turner, Bland and J. W. Hunter. Telegrams of sympathy were sent them.

A Convict Shot at Raleigh.

RALEIGH, June 8.—Two convicts, both white, at work with others on the new Supreme Court buildings here made an attempt to escape yesterday. The guard pursued and fired on them, bringing down one man, when the other surrendered. The wounded man had a revolver, with which he cleared the way before him, threatening to shoot anybody who might undertake to stop him. He is seriously hurt, being shot through the arm.

The Cathedral Subscription.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The first active steps towards raising funds for the proposed Protestant Cathedral were taken yesterday by opening of subscription lists. The pledges of money received include one of $100,000 made by Mr. D. Willis Games, and of offers said to aggregate half a million dollars. The list of supseriptions will not be made public until Thursday.

He Does't Sing the Same Tune.

[Philadelphia Record.]

Senator Sherman addressed the Illinois Legislature yesterday. He no longer sings the same tune with which he charmed the people of the South. He yesterday unfolded the bloody shirt, and waved it for all it was worth. His idea of disloyalty is now embodied in the fact of being opposed to a high tariff, and he insists that such opposition is a "Confederate idea" wickedly put forth to tear the nation into pieces.

Death of Dr. Love.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., June 8.—Dr. Samuel L. Love, formerly State Auditor, died last night at his residence near Waynesville.

Hendersonville has been selected as the place for the next meeting of the North Carolina press association. July 20th is the time. This will no doubt be agreeable all around.

Petrified lobsters, clams, turtles and the like are found in great abundance in the Santa Catalina Mountains in Arizona, at a height of nearly 10,000 feet above the level of the sea.

Lots of pretty girls in New York city wear nutmegs around their necks as a charm against malaria. Young men have it sprinkled on the top of a glass of milk and things for the same purpose.—*Omaha World.*

The National convention of colored men which met in Indianapolis, to consider the question of their political bondage was slimly attended and adjourned without transacting any business. The result impressed one with the idea that their chains are not galling to a very agnonizing extent.—*Ex*

The ten cotton States will hold an Inter-State Convention at Atlanta on the 19th of Augusta. The Governor will appoint one farmer from every county in the State to attend the Convention. Capt. Sid Alexander is the appointee from Mecklenburg.

The New Hampshire Democrats think that they will have a majority in the next Legislature, If the Republicans send Bill Chandler to the Senate, there will be solid ground for such a hope. Bill's qualification as a political Jonah are all that could be desired.

A meeting was held in this city a day or two ago, of the President, General Manager and Superintendent of the Manchester & Augusta Railroad, when the contract for grading the road from Sumpter to the Santee River, S. C., was given to Mr. Hardin of Cheraw. The contractor is required to begin work by the 20th inst., and to complete the grading of the line to the Santee River by the 1st of next April.—*Star.*

The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church have appointed the following delegates to represent the Synod of North Carolina in the Pan Presbyterian Alliance which meets in London, 1888: Principals—Rev. J. S. Watkins, D. D., of Raleigh, and Judge J. A. Gilmer, of Greensboro. Altertates—Rev. L. C. Vass, of New Berne, and Hon. E. R. Stamps, of Raleigh. Messrs. Gilmer and Stamps are Ruling Elders of the Presbyterian Church.

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Superior Court—May Term, 1887.

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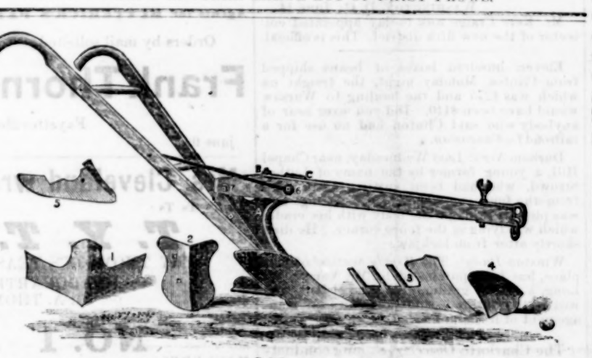
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TRAINS MOVING NORTH.

	Passenger and Mail.	Freight & Accom'd.
Leave Bennettsville,	10:10 a. m.	5:15 a. m.
Arrive Maxton,	11:20 a. m.	7:35 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	11:30 a. m.	7:55 a. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	1:30 p. m.	9:40 a. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	2:00 p. m.	11:00 a. m.
Arrive Sanford,	4:05 p. m.	3:30 p. m.
Leave Sanford,	4:15 p. m.	3:40 p. m.
Arrive Greensboro,	7:23 p. m.	6:55 p. m.
Leave Greensboro,	10:15 a. m.	6:00 p. m.
Arrive Walnut Cove,	1:00 p. m.	

Passenger and Mail—dinner at Fayetteville.

TRAINS MOVING SOUTH.

	Passenger and Mail.	Freight & Accom'd.
Leave Walnut Cove,	2:10 p. m.	
Arrive Greensboro,	5:00 p. m.	
Leave Greensboro,	9:50 a. m.	7:00 a. m.
Arrive Sanford,	12:55 p. m.	9:50 a. m.
Leave Sanford,	1:15 p. m.	1:27 p. m.
Arrive Fayetteville,	3:20 p. m.	3:55 p. m.
Leave Fayetteville,	3:30 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
Arrive Maxton,	5:15 p. m.	12:15 p. m.
Leave Maxton,	5:25 p. m.	3:45 p. m.
Arrive Bennettsville,	6:45 p. m.	4:55 p. m.

Passenger and Mail—dinner at Sanford.

Factory Branch—Freight and Accommodation.

TRAIN MOVING NORTH.

Leave Millboro..... 7:45 a. m.
Arrive Greensboro..... 9:30 a. m.

TRAIN MOVING SOUTH.

Leave Greensboro..... 5:30 p. m.
Arrive Millboro..... 7:00 p. m.

Passenger and Mail Trains run daily except Sunday.

Freight and Accommodation Train runs between Bennettsville and Fayetteville on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and between Fayetteville and Greensboro on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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Wilmington & Weldon R. R AND BRANCHES.

Condensed Schedule.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

Dated Dec. 27, 1886.	No. 48. Daily.	No. 40. Daily.
Leave Weldon	2 15 P. M.	5 38 P. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	3 33 "	
Arrive Tarboro	4 50 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	11 30 P. M.	
Arrive Wilson	4 05 P. M.	6 58 P. M.
Leave Wilson	4 63 "	
Arrive Selma	5 40 "	
Arrive Fayetteville	7 55 "	
Leave Goldsboro	4 54 "	7 40 "
Leave Warsaw	5 54 "	
Leave Burgaw	7 00 "	
Arrive Wilmington	7 50 "	9 35 P. M.

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 47. Daily.	No. 43. Daily.
Leave Wilmington	8 50 A. M.	8 40 P. M.
Leave Burgaw	9 34 "	9 50 "
Leave Warsaw	10 37 "	10 57 "
Arrive Goldsboro	11 35 "	11 58 "
Leave Fayetteville	8 39 "	
Arrive Selma	10 47 "	
Arrive Wilson	11 59 "	
Leave Wilson	12 25 P. M.	12 51 A. M.
Arrive Rocky Mount	12 40 "	
Arrive Tarboro	4 50 P. M.	
Leave Tarboro	11 50 A. M.	
Arrive Weldon	2 35 P. M.	2 70 A. M.

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Passenger Train north from Fayetteville connects with R. & D. R. R. at Selma for Raleigh and Greensboro.

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Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. Daily except Sunday, 6 00 P. M., Sunday 5.00 P. M., arrive Williamston, N. C., 8.10 P. M., 6.40 P. M. Returning leaves Williamston, N. C., Daily except Sunday, 8.00 A. M., Sunday 9.50 A. M., arrive Tarboro, N. C., 10.05 A. M., 11.30 A. M.

Train on Midland, N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C. Daily except Sunday, 5.30 P. M., arrive Smithfield, N. C., 7.00 P. M. Returning leaves Smithfield, N. C., 7.30 A. M., arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9.00 A. M.

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CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

WESTBOUND TRAINS.

May 16, 1887.	No. 1. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 3. Daily ex. Sunday.
Leave Wilmington,	7:25 a. m.	8:00 p. m.
Leave Maxton,	11:30 a. m.	.....
Leave Hamlet,	12:50 p. m.	2:33 a. m.
Leave Wadesboro,	2:15 p. m.	.....
Leave Charlotte,	4:32 p. m.	6:35 a. m. arrive
Leave Lincolnton,	6:17 p. m.	.....
Leave Shelby,	7:40 p. m.	.....
Arrive Rutherfordton,	9:10 p. m.	.....

EASTBOUND TRAINS.

May 16, 1887.	No. 2. Daily ex. Sunday.	No. 4. Daily ex. Sunday.
Leave Rutherfordton.	7:15 a. m.	
Leave Shelby.	8:48 a. m.	
Leave Lincolnton,	10:07 a. m.	
Leave Charlotte,	12:02 p. m.	8:45 p. m.
Leave Wadesboro,	2:30 p. m.	.....
Leave Hamlet,	3:38 p. m.	1:55 a. m.
Leave Maxton,	5:20 p. m.	.....
Arrive Wilmington,	9:05 p. m.	8:00 a. m.

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 make close connection at Maxton to and from Fayetteville, Greensboro and other points on C. F. & Y. V. Ry. At Wadesboro with trains to and from Cheraw, Florence and Charleston. Lincolnton to and from Hickory, Lenoir and points on C. & L. Narrow Gauge railroad.

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